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Destruction of Forests and Farms in Western New-York—Smoke on the Hudson.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Oct. 24.—The reports from the fires burning in the forests of Western New-York, received today, show that in some localities the flames were raging with unusual violence yesterday. Authentic reports of buildings burned, and loss of life, are n. The dwelling-house and buildings of Supervisor HARTSON, of Conesus, Livingston County, were burned yesterday. There is but little wind today, and the city is free of smoke. About 1,000 acres of land were burned over in Orleans County. Rain is very much needed.

FOUNTAINDALE, Oct. 24.—The atmosphere here tonight is dense with smoke from the burning mountains and forests in Ulster County, and as a consequence southerly bound steamers will all be behind tonight. It is reported that the Flatbush fires are extinguished, but that the Shawangunk Mountains are still burning. A little rain fell today, but not enough to extinguish the fires.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 24.—A special to the *Sentinel*, from Beloit, says: There are large fires in the woods seven miles central there. Barns, stacks, &c., were burned near Roscoe yesterday. Other fires are reported. The city is filled with dense smoke.

HARRISBURG, Penn., Oct. 24.—The mountains above Dauphin have been on fire since Friday last. The operator at Dauphin reports that the fire extends two miles from the river and the entire breadth of Peter's mountain. The country surrounding is shrouded in smoke.

Appeal for Aid for the Michigan Sufferers—12,000 to 15,000 People Destitute—The Worse Still Warning.

DETROIT, Oct. 24.—In view of the urgency of immediate and copious aid from the people outside of the State, the following appeal to the people of the United States has been issued by the Michigan State Relief Committee:

To the People of the United States: We need instant and plentiful aid. From 12,000 to 15,000 people, at least, in the State of Michigan have not their homes, food, clothing, farming tools and cattle. On the night of the Chicago fire 2,000 people on the east shore of Lake Michigan, and 4,000 to 6,000 on the west shore of Lake Huron were reduced to almost absolute destitution. Within two or three weeks entire towns and villages seemed to have been blotted out. The number of individual farm-houses, barns and frontier dwellings which have been destroyed by the all-pervading fires cannot, from want of information, be accurately calculated. The aggregate we know to be enormous. The fires are still burning and now once more sweeping up. The dread of rain and devastation is daily increasing, and much suffering exists. A long, hard and cold Winter is approaching, and large numbers of these people are accessible only by water, and navigation will soon be closed. Scarcely a month, or six weeks at most, remains in which to feed, clothe and shelter them for the Winter season, which extends far into the Spring. They must be helped now, or they will perish. They will need, too, in early Spring, seed and implements for harvest next year. A greater portion of them must commence life entirely anew and without preparation at the beginning of Winter. Their isolation from the great lines of commerce and means of communication makes the problem of relief more difficult and urgent. The people of Michigan have nobly responded to appeals which this misery has made to their sympathy and generosity, but they are nearly crippled indirectly in their business by the Chicago fire, and directly by the extraordinary call to the sufferers from that calamity before they were aware of the demands which would be made upon them at home. Many of them, too, have lost their resources by fires which occurred in this State. In their name, and on behalf of the victims already known and many whom we hear are yet unknown, we ask immediate and liberal aid from our brothers and fellow-citizens everywhere. Money and supplies may be sent direct to Michigan Relief Committee at Detroit or Grand Rapids.

EUROPE.

The French Councils General—Ten Persons Killed by an Explosion—The German Reservoir Destructive Fire in Darmstadt—The Court Theatre Burned and the Fire Spreading.

PARIS, Oct. 24.—The Duke D'AUMALE has been elected President of the General Council of the Department of the Oise. M. LOCKROY, in the Council of the Department of the Seine, made a motion today in favor of amnesty for the Communists. It is said that the Bonapartists intend to agitate the impeachment of the Government of the 4th of September, the dissolution of the National Assembly and a plebiscite to decide the future form of government. A terrible boiler explosion occurred this morning at Roubaix, in the Department of Nord, by which ten persons were instantly killed and many others badly hurt.

BERLIN, Oct. 24.—In the session of the Reichstag today, Gen. von ROON, Minister of War, in answer to an interpellation, stated that two-thirds of the infantry reserves would shortly be permitted to return home. The cavalry reserves, however, would, for technical reasons, still remain with their colors. He added that the utmost relief would be granted to the volunteers for one year.

DARMSTADT, Oct. 24—7 P. M.—The Court theatre in this city took fire at 5 o'clock this afternoon, and is now wrapped in flames. A heavy easterly wind is blowing, and it is feared the flames may spread to adjacent buildings.

Eight P. M.—The fire is rapidly spreading. The theatre is entirely destroyed. A strong wind carries the flames and sparks westward into the upper town. The arsenal is in danger, and the troops of the garrison have evacuated it.

Small-Pox in Philadelphia—Official Report of the Board of Health.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 24.—Exaggerated reports of the prevalence of small-pox in this city has drawn out a semi-official report from the Board of Health. The total number of cases during three weeks in October was 242, and during the same time the deaths numbered 151. During the first three days of last week the cases reported numbered 250, and on the last three days 158, showing that the disease was decreasing. The contagion has its firmest hold in the Twentieth Ward, where 351 cases have occurred. The ward is in a good sanitary condition, and the prevalence of the disease is attributed to the fact that the houses are built on made ground, which renders them damp, and accelerates the disease. In the Fourth Ward, which comprises the filthiest part of the city, only thirty-three cases have occurred. The doctors report that persons not vaccinated when attacked by the disease almost invariably die of it. Thousands are vaccinated daily, and the physicians have constant employment.

UTAH.

Another Suit Against Brigham Young—Hawkins to be Sentenced Today.

SALT LAKE, Utah, Oct. 23.—Mrs. SARAH A. COOKE sues BRIGHAM YOUNG, today, for $9,000, which was collected for her benefit upon the death of her husband, some years ago, and placed in BRIGHAM'S hands. The defense admits the receipt of the money for the purpose stated, but claims offsets to the amount of $1,000. Mrs. COOKE was formerly a Mormon, but is now a prominent so-called apostate. HAWKINS will be sentenced to-morrow.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—A petition was received at the Executive Mansion today, fifty feet long, and signed by the women of Utah, protesting against polygamy, and urging effective measures to suppress its practice in that Territory.

Sentence of Hawkins Deferred—The Question of Imprisoning Young.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Oct. 24.—In the Hawkins case this morning, the defendant asked to be released, for the reason that the verdict was not in accordance with the statute, as it failed to specify the nature and extent of the punishment. The motion was overruled, and at the request of the counsel sentence was deferred till Saturday next. There is some excitement among polygamists as to HAWKINS' fate. The Court-room, this morning, was thronged with women. HAWKINS himself is apparently wholly unconcerned. He has been remanded to prison at Camp Douglas. The Mormons talk peace, provided BRIGHAM is not subjected to imprisonment. They say BRIGHAM would submit, but his followers will never allow it. The case of SARAH A. COOKE *vs.* BRIGHAM YOUNG is still on trial.

CHICAGO.

Verdict of the Coroner's Jury in the Treat-Grosvenor Homicide—Real Estate Titles.

CHICAGO, Oct. 24.—The verdict of the Coroner's jury in the Treat-Grosvenor homicide case simply states the fact that GROSVENOR was shot by TREAT without sufficient cause, but says the jurors' opinion is at least TREAT supposed he was executing orders given him by those who placed him on guard. TREAT has been arrested. Judge JOSEPH E. GARY, of the Supreme Court, Chairman of the Committee of Judges of the United States and State Courts of this county, is preparing a bill for perpetuating titles. The County and State Judges, under the Statute laws and the Constitution, have heretofore made practice to meet emergencies where there has been any defect in the law. At a meeting, last night, of property owners on Michigan-avenue and North Park-row, it was resolved that the blocks of vacant ground on Lake Shore, north of Monroe-street, be donated for railroad purposes, the railroad to pay for the ground a price to be fixed hereafter. The price heretofore offered by the Illinois Central, the Michigan Central, and Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroads is $800,000. It is probably worth double this amount.

The Bank of Montreal has decided to establish a branch bank in this city. It will be opened as soon as a proper vault can be built. The Chicago *Journal* appeared this afternoon in a new dress. Many of the Chicago banks located in the South Division are establishing branches in the West Division, the banks of which are doing the same in the South Division. F. F. W. PECK, one of the Chicago pioneers, died last evening, aged sixty-one years. He has resided here since 1833.

Western Relief Still Pouring for Chicago.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—Subscriptions to the Chicago Relief Fund continue to pour in. Nottingham has given $2,000, Kidderminster has subscribed £500, Edinburgh, £1,240, Perth £190 Dumfermline £150. As details of the calamity reach this side by mail the interest and sympathy increase. Theatrical representations for the benefit of the sufferers are given or projected everywhere. CLARKE and other American stars participating warmly in the movement. The Mansion House fund here approaches an aggregate of £35,000. The leading journals receive columns of particulars, telegraphed from Queenstown, in advance of the mail. The mercantile community has subscribed liberally; the nobility and higher classes show no less zeal. The Marquis of WESTMINSTER, Lord ENBURY, and many others of rank have distinguished themselves by large contributions, announced in the lists today.

GEORGIA NEWS.

The Cotton States Fair at Augusta—Guarantee of Rolling Stock of the Brunswick and Albany Railroad.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Oct. 24.—The annual Fair of the Cotton States Association opens on the 21st of October. Sixteen thousand dollars are offered in premiums. The city is prepared to accommodate 20,000 visitors. Some fine racing stock is already entered for track premiums.

ATHENS, Ga., Oct. 24.—Parties are seizing the rolling-stock and other property of the Brunswick and Albany Railroad for debt. The iron for the road was seized at Brunswick. No payments have been made for some time.

KIMBALL'S inability is said to be the result of losses by the Chicago fire. There are rumors of the repudiation of State bonds hypothecated by him. Gov. BULLOCK seized the road, and placed it in the hands of Col. JOHN SCREVEN, of Savannah. He and R. H. BROWN, attorney of the road, are gone to New-York to investigate the affairs of the Company. Many rumors are afloat, but there is nothing more definite than above stated.

Alleged Outrage by a Negro Sheriff—Arrest of Three Planters After Being Severely Wounded.

SAVANNAH, Ga., Oct. 24.—Accounts from Bluffdown, S. C., state that three men, MONTMOLLIN, KENT and SLICKE, were wounded and captured by negroes, on Montmollin's plantation, and are held as prisoners under a warrant issued by Mr. ROBERTSON, Justice of the Peace. They are to be taken to Beaufort for trial, when sufficiently recovered from their wounds. It is believed that SLICKE is mortally wounded. They were captured by a negro constable named MIDDLETON, a notorious bad character, the terror of the whites of the neighborhood. The prisoners are in private houses under medical treatment, there being no jail in Bluffton. MONTMOLLIN'S offense was an attempt to recover his lands and collect his rents from negro tenants, who refused either to pay or leave the premises.

The Russian Fleet Not in Sight.

SANDY HOOK, Oct. 25—12½ A. M.—There are no signs of the Russian fleet off Sandy Hook. The wind is blowing freshly from the southeast and the weather is thick off shore.

A Gas Company's Store of Coal Burning.

TROY, N. Y., Oct. 24.—The coal in the large storehouse of the Troy Gas Company, amounting to several thousand tons, took fire by spontaneous combustion, on Tuesday, and has been burning ever since. To-night the flames burst out suddenly, and in a few minutes destroyed the roof of the structure. The loss so far is $20,000. The coal is still burning.

THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

The Yellowstone Expedition—Preparation of the Report—Movements of the Cabinet—Miscellaneous.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Prof. HAYDEN, who has been for the last four years conducting a geological survey of the Territories, returned here yesterday, and he will at once enter upon the preparation of his annual report, which will be a report of the survey of the famous Yellowstone Valley. His explorations during the past season have been of special importance, and far more interesting than any previous operations, on account of the remarkable as well as heretofore almost unknown region which has been explored. The expedition was organized at Cheyenne, Wyoming Territory, last Spring, and the animals and outfit were transported by rail to Ogden, Utah. The party numbered thirty-five persons, and arrived at Ogden about the 10th of June. Proceeding northward near the line of the overland stage route they explored a belt of country to Fort Ellis, Montana. The party then proceeded into the Valley of the Yellowstone, and making a permanent camp at what is called Bottler's Ranch, about forty miles east of Fort Ellis. They were obliged to leave their wagons there on account of the mountainous nature of the country, and so proceeded with a pack train. They arrived in the valley about the 30th of July, and left it about the 5th of September. During that time they made a careful topographical and geological survey of the Valley of the Yellowstone, and the lake which forms its source and also of the sources of the Snake River and the Missouri. A survey was made of the Yellowstone Lake itself, and sketches of its shore lines and soundings of its depths. The greatest depth was about 300 feet. The elevation of this lake is the greatest of any known in the world, except Lake Titicaca, in Peru, and is 7,000 feet. The most wonderful of all the wonders of this remarkable country are the hot springs, of which there are many districts, as they are called. Surveys and maps of all these hot spring districts were made. The springs were located, and the temperature of each was taken. The Fire Hole Basin, in the Valley of the Fire Hole River, contains from 1,000 to 1,500 of these springs, or geysers, of the first class. The collections pertaining to the geological formation and natural history weigh several tons, and are at the Smithsonian Institute awaiting examination and arrangement in the cabinets. Prof. HAYDEN will first make a preliminary report of progress, and then address himself to the preparation of the complete report with charts, photographic illustrations and sketches.

PERSONAL.

Secretary DELANO and Gen. HOWARD left here today to attend the annual meeting of the American Missionary Association, at Hartford, Conn. Mr. DELANO will deliver an address upon the Indian policy of the National Government, showing to what extent the interests of peace and consequently the civilization of the Indian have been conserved thereby. The President has written a letter expressing his inability to attend the reunion of the Army of the Cumberland, which takes place on the 18th and 19th inst.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President today appointed the following Postmasters: JAMES B. POLLOCK, at Little Rock, Ark., vice J. L. HODGES, suspended under the Tenure-of-Office law; HIRAM ROSS, at Norwalk, Ohio, vice JULIUS S. COE, suspended; C. H. NEWELL, at Glenwood, vice S. S. WICKS, suspended. Mr. POLLOCK, who was today appointed Postmaster at Little Rock, was suspended, about a year ago, from the same office, making way for Mr. HODGES, whose appointment was subsequently confirmed by the Senate. The order of proceeding at that time is now exactly reversed. CHARLES WILLIAMS has been appointed Surveyor of the Customs at Fredericksburg, Va.

SALE OF MAJOR HODGE'S COINS.

Among the effects of Major J. L. HODGE, turned over to the United States, were 227 pieces of American silver, copper, bronze and nickel coins, the intrinsic value of which amounted to only $64 13. The whole collection brought at auction $428 75, or more than six times the first value. A dollar, a half-dollar, a quarter-dime, and a half-dime of 1848 brought $28, and the same kinds of coin of 1854 brought $19 50; for 1853, $18; for 1856, $13; for 1857, $14. A dime of the year 1796 brought $9 50; a dollar of 1846, $7 75; a dollar and a quarter of 1847, $19 50; and a dollar of 1849, $8. Eleven half-cent pieces brought, under the hammer, $90 75, and a similar lot of half-cent pieces, issued between 1840 and 1852, $9 each.

THE FOREIGN MONEY ORDERS.

To show the value of the Postal treaty recently negotiated between the United States and Great Britain, it may be stated that during the first week of its operation $8,349 89 was sent from the Washington office to Great Britain, and that $6,526 28 was received at the same office from Great Britain.

NEW-YORK PENSION AGENCIES.

By direction of the President, the two pension agencies heretofore in operation in New-York City, for payment of pensions to invalids, and for payments to widows and dependents, have been consolidated into one agency under the charge of L. L. DOTY, G. M. VAN BUREN resigning. The effect of the consolidation will be the saving to the Government of one salary of $4,000 per year.

THE WEATHER.

Synopsis and Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 25—1 A. M.—The high barometer, which was Monday night in Wisconsin, has spread to the Middle and East Atlantic Coasts. The barometer has fallen in the Southern and Gulf States, and especially in Iowa and Minnesota. The temperature has fallen throughout in the Middle and Eastern States; it has risen slightly from Lake Superior to Missouri. Northeasterly winds prevail from the middle and east Atlantic westward to the Mississippi. Cloud and rain have been very generally reported from Missouri to New-Jersey and Georgia; partially cloudy and smoky weather on the lakes.

PROBABILITIES.

The barometer will probably rise with northerly winds and clear or clearing weather on Wednesday in the Middle and Eastern Atlantic States to the lower lakes; falling barometer with threatening weather north and west of Illinois. A severe wind storm will probably pass over Northern Wisconsin and Upper Michigan.

City Meteorological Report.

The following observations show the temperature yesterday at the Central Park Mineral Springs, as recorded by SCHULTZE & WALKER:

Temperature.	6 A.M.	9 A.M.	12 M.	3 P.M.	6 P.M.
Degrees Fahrenheit.	50	62	71	68	56
Stand of Bar. in inch.	30.05		30.07		30.07

Wet-bulb Hygrometer at noon, degrees Fah. 59.

Arrival of Ocean Steamers.

The steam-ship *Holsatia*, from Hamburg Oct. 11, and the steamers *City of London* and *Oceanic*, both of which left Liverpool on Oct. 12 and Queenstown on Oct. 13, all reached this port yesterday. The latest news is fresher by three days than that previously at hand. Capt. MEIER, of the *Holsatia*, has our thanks for valued additions to our Continental files.

THE HORNET AND HORTON.

Present Aspect of the Question with Spain and England.

Spanish Insolence in the Presence of an American Man-of-War—Secretary Boutwell Refuses New Papers to the Horton.

THE HORNET TROUBLE.

Further Details of the Spanish Demand for Her Surrender—Significant Intervention of the Spaniards in the Presence of an American Man-of-War.

Further intelligence reached this city yesterday from Port-au-Prince in reference to the expected seizure of the steamer *Hornet* by the Spanish authorities, on a charge that she is engaged in a Cuban expedition. As stated a few days since, the Spanish authorities demanded of the Haytien Minister of the Interior the delivery of the *Hornet*, but after consultation with the American Minister, Mr. BASSETT, who opposed the demand, the Haytien Minister declined to accede to the request. The *Hornet* has been for the past six months in the harbor of Port-au-Prince, undergoing repairs, but has been under the surveillance of several Spanish men-of-war, with intent to prevent her escape. On the 26th of September, the *Swatara*, an American man-of-war, arrived at Port-au-Prince, when her commander offered to protect the *Hornet* from an attack on the part of the Spaniards. At this time the repairs of the *Hornet* had been completed, and the Captain, wishing to try her engines, ordered steam to be got up for the purpose of proceeding up the bay. The Spaniards thought she was about to make her escape, but, as the *Swatara* was present, no action was taken by them to seize the *Hornet*.

Although steam was got up on the *Hornet*, she had no intention of leaving the port, as was proved by her returning after going as far as Port Lamartine. On the 27th of September the *Swatara* left Port-au-Prince on a cruise, and the *Hornet* was again left to shift for herself. Repeated demands were made by the commander of the *Churubo* after the *Swatara* had left Port-au-Prince, but the Haytien Government refused to denounce the *Hornet* as a pirate, and the Captain of the steamer sent a formal notice to the Spaniards stating that he should hold them responsible for the detention of his vessel and claim damages accordingly. On the other hand the Spaniards informed the Haytien Government that they should hold them responsible for depredations committed by the *Hornet*, but they replied that as the *Hornet* was sailing under the American flag, they had nothing whatever to do in the matter. The Haytien Government relies implicitly upon substantial aid from the United States Government in the event of an attempted seizure, for the reason that they have not sufficient force to cope against the Spaniards. It will now be seen whether the American Government will come to the rescue of the *Hornet*, and thus prevent her flag from being publicly outraged. In hopes of securing this assistance the Minister of Hayti, Mr. STEPHEN PRESTON, after receiving official notice of the *Hornet's* trouble, left this City last night for Washington, to confer with the Government officials. This same vessel, the *Churubo*, boarded an English vessel, the *Redwith*, laden with passengers bound to Nassau. For this act he was called upon to apologize to the British Government, but this he refused to do, and the matter is now in the hands of that Government to decide.

The reason given for the Spanish guard over the *Hornet* was that she had been tried in the Havana Court and condemned as a pirate, and they were ordered to prevent her leaving Haytien waters.

The Haytien Government sent a message to the Spanish Consul prior to his leaving, asking that they would place the case of the *Hornet* in Court, so that the charge might be investigated, but this offer was rejected. The Spanish Consul, in a communication to Mr. BASSETT, states that he has made himself too officious in giving help to all pirates who claimed the protection of the United States, and to use his own words to his letter, "we have found that the American Legation-Minister has been very hasty and thoughtless in assuring the Government of Hayti that the *Hornet* deserved protection, and that he had proof that the *Hornet's* papers were sent to the vessel while lying in Hayti." The Spanish Consul left in the *Pearce*, while the *Churubo* was left in Port-au-Prince to watch the *Hornet's* movements. It is said other Spanish vessels of war are lying off Gonaives Island in the event of the *Hornet* escaping the *Churubo*.

The President's absence just now causes much uneasiness to the people of Hayti, as trouble is anticipated from the Spaniards.

Conversation at the Cabinet Meeting, Yesterday, in Washington.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—An attempt is being made to stir up a precise about the steamer *Hornet*, now lying at Port-au-Prince, on account of the action of the Spanish Consul, but it is not likely to amount to much. The *Hornet*, it will be remembered, was bonded a year ago at Wilmington, and among others Gen. BUTLER became one of her boundsmen. She is to all intents and purposes an American vessel, and Spain is not likely to get up a war with this Government on so small a pretense.

The Cabinet session today was brief. The subject of the recapture of the schooner *Horton* was not mentioned. There was, however, a conversation in relation to the *Hornet*, which, it appeared from the official report, was at the last advices, in the harbor of Port-au-Prince, menaced by a Spanish war steamer, which intended to capture her. Our Government sustains the course of Minister BASSETT in his complaint to the Haytien Government of this breach of neutral rights, and has, through the Secretary of State, informed the Spanish Minister, Mr. ROBERTS, of its views upon the subject. Whatever offense the *Hornet* may have committed after she had given bonds to the United States, is considered a question to be settled by the authorities of this country on the proper proofs, especially as she carries the American flag, and therefore possesses a national character. The Government sees no necessity for the use of force, as the entire matter is undergoing a peaceable adjustment.

THE HORTON CASE.

Action of the Secretary of the Treasury Regarding New Papers—What the Canadians and English Think.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., Oct. 24.—The Collector of Customs at this port has received the following:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Oct. 21, 1871.

SIR: I have received your letter of the 19th instant relative to the application of the owner of the schooner *Edward A. Horton* for the reissue of marine documents in place of papers alleged to have been lost. In reply, you are informed that the Department will consider the application further when full accounts of the transaction have been received.

Very respectfully,

GEO. S. BOUTWELL, Secretary.

To T. J. BABSON, Collector of Customs, Gloucester, Mass.

TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 24.—The Ottawa correspondent of the *Express* says the case of the schooner *Horton*, stolen by the Gloucester fishermen, is simply regarded as a violation of the Customs regulations.

LONDON, England, Oct. 24.—The *Times*, in this morning's issue, suggests the appointment of an impartial commission to settle any international difficulty which may grow out of the cutting out of the schooner *Horton*. The *Times* believes that any complications could be thus compromised promptly and on an equitable basis.

The Railroad Lease.

Mr. W. H. GATZMER, President of the Camden and Amboy Railroad, will today sign the lease of the New-Jersey Railroads to the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad Company, in the absence of the President, Mr. BRADFORD. An inventory of the property will then be made out, and it is not probable that the works will be transferred for a month to come. An additional two per cent. will be paid by the Pennsylvania Company to the stockholders on the July dividend.

THE TURF.

The Cambridgeshire Stakes at Newmarket, England—Sabinus the Winner—The Favorite Defeated.

LONDON, Oct. 24.—The Newmarket Houghton meeting opened yesterday and closed today with the handicap for the Cambridgeshire Stakes, 1 mile and 240 yards; 310 subscribers, 19 of whom declared. The race was won by Mr. G. G. KENWICK'S b. g. *Sabinus*, 4 years, by *Tournebridge*, out of *Vesta*, carrying 119 lbs.; while Mr. W. DAY'S *Albrook*, 5 years, 99 lbs., and Mr. BEAYDON'S b. c. *Sterling*, 3 years, 128 lbs., by *Oxford*, dam by *Philosopher*, out of *Silence*, ran a dead-heat for the second place. Twenty-nine horses started. The betting just before the race was 10 to 1 against *Sabinus*, 6 to 1 against *Albrook*, and 22 to 1 against *Sterling*.

Opening of the Baltimore Fall Races—Favorable Weather and Good Sport—The Shimbeck Races.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 24.—The annual Fall races of the Maryland Jockey Club over the Pimlico Course commenced today. The weather was very favorable. There were five races.

FIRST RACE.—Hurdle race, for all ages, two miles, over eight hurdles; $600 to winner, $200 to second horse. There were four starters.

Gaither & Tully's b. g. Vesuvius.....1
A. Taylor's c. h. Dick Jackson.....2
R. Shea's b. c. Astronomer.....3
McDaniel's g. g. Sliver.....dr.

Time—5:35½.

SECOND RACE.—Reunion Stakes, for three-year olds; two miles; $500 entrance; $100 forfeit; $1,000 added; forty-seven nominations and one starter. McDANIEL'S ch. c. *Harry Russell* walked over.

THIRD RACE.—Amulet-wood Stakes, for two-year olds; three-quarters of a mile; $200 subscription; half forfeit; $1,000 added; eighteen nominations, and five starters.

D. J. Cruse's gr. c. Gray Planet.....1
Thomas G. Bacon's ch. c., by Jack Malone.....2
R. W. Cameron's br. f. Invoicy.....3
D. R. Harness' ch. c. Meteor.....4
Stringfield & Lisle's b. f. Master John.....5

Time—1:17½.

FOURTH RACE.—Pimlico Stakes, for four-year olds, two mile heats; $100 entrance; half forfeit; Club to add $1,000; twelve nominations and one starter. M. H. SANFORD'S b. c. *Prodigious* walked over.

FIFTH RACE.—Compensation Handicap, (made up last night,) two miles, for all ages; purse $600; $500 to first and $100 to second horse; seven entries and seven starters.

Sanford's b. f. Madame Dudley.....1
Dotlouie's ch. c. Alroy.....2
Belmont's ch. f. Princess.....3
Crouse's ch. f. Cinnamon.....4
Crouse's b. f. Nellie Ransom.....5
Stringfield's Catoma.....6
J. E. Butler's b. c. Quintard.....7

Time—3:35.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Oct. 24.—At the Rhinebeck races today, *Major Edsall* won the $600 purse. He won the first, second and fourth heats in 2:35, 2:31¼, and 2:34. Ed. Wade won the third heat in 2:31¼.

The second race was won by *Wyllstick* in 2:35¼, 2:40, and 2:40¾.

Fleetwood Park.

No trotting took place at Fleetwood Park yesterday, owing to the rain in the early part of the day. All the races of the first day of the Autumn meeting go over to next Tuesday. To-day, should the weather prove fine, there will be two or three trots at the Park, the most important of which will be for a purse of $2,000, mile heats, best three in five, between DAN MACE'S *India-rubber Boy*, T. CARPENTER'S *Kingston*, and W. BORST'S *Honest Allen*, each horse to trot to wagon with running mate. The sporting men were at a loss to pick the winner last night, and no pools were sold at JOHNSON'S rooms on this race.

THE TAMMANY CONVENTION.

Judge Ledwith Nominated for Supreme Court Judge, Judges Spencer and Jones for the Superior Court, Judge Daly for the Common Pleas, Judge Alker for the Marine Court and Edward J. Shandley for Register.

The Tammany City and County Convention met last evening at Tammany Hall. On motion of Mr. DOUGLAS TAYLOR Mr. S. S. COX was appointed Chairman. The Chairman stated the object of the Convention, observing that the work they had to perform was the vindication of the integrity of their Judges, their City Courts and their best lawyers. (Applause.) He referred in eulogistic terms to the present administration, and expressed a hope that justice would be dispensed in the future, as in the past, on the Democratic principles of right and justice. These were the principles of their constitution, and under these principles their nominees were always remarkable for their uprightness and purity of character. The object of Democracy was the benefit of the nation, and if any were found in their ranks guilty of malfeasance in office—no matter how high their station—they would be cut out and cast off as rotten branches. [Applause.]

The credentials of the delegates were then handed in, when it was ascertained that there were two delegations claiming the representation of the Sixth Ward—one headed by Sheriff BRENNAN and the other by Judge DOWLING.

On motion of THOS. FIELDS, it was resolved that the rule of the Democratic General Committee be adopted as the rule of this Convention, namely, that the certificate of a majority of the inspectors of election be conclusive evidence of the regularity of the delegates having such certificates, and that they be admitted as the delegates to this Convention from the respective districts entitled to representation in the body.

Mr. MORGAN JONES made several efforts to be heard upon the question, but was ruled down by the Chair, and amidst considerable tumult the resolution was carried.

Mr. STACOM, on behalf of the Dowling delegation, said: Upon consultation with the delegates we represent here to-night, we have come to the conclusion, for the peace and harmony of this Organization, to withdraw, but we protest against to be our own rulers in our own ward. [Applause.]

The Dowling delegation then rose to withdraw, and a call for three cheers for M. T. BRENNAN was loudly hissed.

Mr. IRVING—I move that the delegation headed by Judge DOWLING be allowed seats in this Convention. [Confusion and cries of "No."]

Mr. HALL—We will withdraw if such a thing is permitted. [Great confusion.] Several voices cried out: "Sit down, or go out of the house." Finally the Chair put the motion of Mr. IRVING to the meeting, and it was carried.

Mr. ALONZO S. SULLIVAN then rose to propose a candidate for the office of Supreme Court Judge. It was the glory of the Democratic Party, he said, to have placed on the Bench Judges of the most spotless integrity. Referring to the peculiar position of affairs in this City, he observed that our community had recently been agitated, but by what? By a suggestion that there was delinquency in high places, and whatever evidence tended to corroborate it gave pain and distress to no breast, as it did in the breast of the rank and file of the Tammany Democracy. [Applause.] He was now about to nominate for Judge of the Supreme Court a man who had been selected already by the instinctive feeling and judgment of the greater part of this Convention, and who was eminently qualified for the position. Though not of Tammany, it should be remembered that this society does not monopolize all the wisdom there, who were needed to their own interests. They looked merely to the public good, and in the nomination he was about to make he deemed the selection a wise and good one. He concluded by proposing THOMAS A. LEDWITH for Judge of the Supreme Court.

The nomination was received with immense applause.

Mr. BRENNAN nominated JOSEPH P. MARNIN for the office.

Mr. MASTERSON strongly protested against Judge LEDWITH'S nomination. He had been the bitterest foe of Tammany, and in view of the present position of local politics and his participation therein, he deemed it unwise and unfair.

Mr. MASTERSON'S remarks were received with every mark of disapprobation, and when the question was put to the meeting it pronounced itself in favor of Judge LEDWITH'S nomination.

Judge KAHN proposed Judges SPENCER and JONES for renomination as Judges of the Supreme Court. The proposition was carried by acclamation.

DOUGLAS TAYLOR proposed CHARLES P. DALY for renomination as Judge of Common Pleas. Carried unanimously.

Mr. HARDY proposed Judge ALKER, of the Marine Court, for nomination. Carried by acclamation.

Mr. HARTMAN proposed EDWARD J. SHANDLEY for Register. The nomination was received with immense applause, and was carried.

A committee was then appointed to wait upon those gentlemen and inform them of their nomination.

The chairman expressed satisfaction at the result of the meeting. He counselled activity in the present campaign, as the difficulties they had to encounter were unusually formidable, but they had the confidence in the ultimate success of Tammany.

The meeting then adjourned.

BROOKLYN REFORM.

Mass-Meeting of Citizens on the Disinterested Facts in Relation to the Debt of the City.

A mass-meeting of citizens of Brooklyn who are opposed to the incompetent and corrupt course of the city and county officials, and who are desirous of securing the election of competent and incorrupt men to office, was held last evening at the Brooklyn Rink. Mr. E. T. BACKHOUSE presided.

The Chairman said that if the frauds which had so long been practised under the guise of authority were not speedily ended, the property of the city would be endangered.

Mr. H. C. BUNCE was glad that this was not a meeting of politicians, but of citizens. Had it been confined to the former, he should have had no standing before them. They had be such stupendous frauds as existed in New-York, but they had grievances which demanded redress. The mismanagement in New-York was of such a character as to undermine public credit and startle merchant princes and every tax-payer into united action. There may be in Brooklyn frauds of magnitude which demand an investigation as rigid as that which is now being instituted in New-York. We demand, said the speaker, that an examination be made, by persons in whom we have confidence, into the affairs of our City Government. He said that the debt of the city was over thirty millions. The debt Jan. 1, 1869, as appears by the Mayor's message, was $18,850,250; the debt July 1, 1871, was $27,210,526. The city proportion of the county debt to be added was $6,866,661, making the total city debt July 1, $34,073,187. These were facts which could not be disputed, for they appeared in the statement of the Board of Estimate of July 1, 1871. Since July 1, 1871, the debt has increased by certificates of arrears to be paid out of the arrears of taxes due, but not been received. These amount to $1,150,000, which have been discounted. To the Bridge Company have been issued $600,000; the Central-avenue sewer, $600,000; pavement fund bonds, $375,000; water loan, $75,000—all amounting to $2,794,000, which have accrued since July 1, making the total debt of the city at present $38,607,187. He believed that this was the aggregate indebtedness of the City. The speaker concluded by expressing it as his belief that unless the citizens rose in a body to resist the systematic fraud being practiced in our great cities, and unless Brooklyn, New-York and Brooklyn, republican institutions in this country will utterly pass away as they did in the Old World under the blighting influence of corruption.

Mr. ALEXANDER DELMAN said that he had made a patient examination of the accounts of the city, and was satisfied that there were corruptions in the management of our municipal affairs. The assessed value of real estate in Brooklyn is $200,000,000, and the real value is not more than $200,000,000, so that it is clear that despite the immense frauds of New-York, that City is not in so dangerous a condition as Brooklyn.

Resolutions were then passed asserting the right of the citizens to examine a full statement of the public receipts and expenditures of the City and County Government, and that they should be kept informed of the issue of any bonds binding the real or personal property of the city or its citizens; that they should have a right to examine the pay-rolls, and that they will not support any man for the approaching election who is not known to be both honest and capable, and who will not pledge himself to reform the City Government. An Executive Committee of fifty was appointed to carry out the objects of the meeting.

Mr. E. H. HUNTLEY, Mr. CHAMBERS, Mr. CROZIER and others made short addresses, after which the meeting adjourned.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

ICHABOD HOWLAND, a prominent merchant of Boston, died on Monday night of paralysis.

WILLIAM C. PAYNE, aged fifty-five, committed suicide yesterday morning at his office, in Boston, by taking chloroform.

STEPHEN D. GREMMELE was yesterday sentenced, in Buffalo, N. Y., to be hanged, Dec. 15, for the murder of his cousin.

The second annual fair of Muscogee County, Georgia, commences at Columbus on the 31st inst., and promises to be a great success.

The barn, outbuildings and twenty-two head of valuable cattle, belonging to ROBERT HOLMES, near Daylestown, Penn., were burned on Monday night.

The remains of Father CARNON, late pastor of Trinity Roman Catholic Church, (German,) Philadelphia, were interred in the vault adjoining the church-yard yesterday.

The cotton-waste bleachery in North Providence, R. I., owned by SARAH A. HILL and run by JAMES HILTON, was burned on Monday morning. Loss about $15,000; insurance, $9,500.

The President declines attending the reunion of the Society of the Army of the Cumberland, at Detroit, Nov. 15 and 16, on account of official duties which will require his attention at that time.

Today Mr. GATZMER, President *pro tem.* of the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad, will sign the great lease which transfers the United Companies of New-Jersey to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

SAMUEL WIMOND, of Chagerin Falls, near Cleveland, Ohio, recently, when near his home, was dragged from his buggy, shot through the arm, beaten and robbed of $600 by two men, who afterward escaped.

The annual report of the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce, just published, recommends the withdrawal of their representation in the National Board of Trade, regarding such representation of no further benefit.

Fears are entertained that Prof. JAMES T. HODGE, of Plymouth, Mass., was lost in the steamer *R. G. Colburn*, on Lake Huron. He was on his way home from a geological exploring expedition at Lake Superior.

NICHOLAS ELCOCK, WILLIAM SULLIVAN, FRANK MACDONALD and THOMAS LOLLY were yesterday sentenced to four years each in Dedham Jail, Mass., for robbing the Quincy Post-office, and JAMES DALY to three years. The prisoners are all under eighteen years of age.

A large bark is reported to be ashore on New-Harbor ledge, near Isaac Harbor, N. S. There are no dolmes of the crew. Two vessels are ashore at [illegible] Harbor, two at Mar

tituation is to postpone any such issue of bonds or stock during those years. I do not think such was the intent of this provision. The limitation is to the expenses of the City and County Government for the years 1871 and 1872. It was intended to limit the expenses of the City and County Government which were annually paid by taxation. The liability which should not be incurred was a liability which formed part of the expenses of those Governments during the year, and the restriction was intended to prevent the heads of departments from exceeding for each ordinary expenses by increasing debts. A greater amount than was appropriated for each purpose for 1871 was intended to apply to improvements authorized by Assembly statutes, which were for the increase of the City property, or for any purpose not charged to be paid by taxation. The term of years in the Eighth section, which prohibits the issue of bonds or stock for other purposes, which would increase the amount above the limited tax, and be a violation thereof, if the construction put upon it by the respondents was adopted, and the provision in the fourth section requiring the concurrence of the Board of Apportionment in the issue of bonds or stock shows that the Legislature contemplated the issue of bonds, notwithstanding the limitation as to the annual expenses. It is stated in the affidavit of Mr. STORMS, the former Deputy Controller, that the whole amount appropriated to the Departments by the Board of Apportionment for the year 1871 has been paid by the Controller. This would be all they could receive from the amount raised for taxes during this year. It does not appear for what purposes this apportionment was made, but I suppose it has been for the ordinary annual expenses of the Department. The objection that was made to the form of the requisition, the same having been made by the Executive Committee instead of the Board, was immaterial, and it would be a waste of time that an affidavit should be made that such requisitions were made by the direction of the Board. I might also add that the requisitions for buildings in the Tenth Ward, which the Controller has supplied, were made in January, 1871, long before the passage of the Tax law. It was the duty of the Controller to have complied therewith at that time, and that duty was not suspended by that law. There is nothing in the provisions of the Tax law of 1871 which prevents the Department of Parks from proceeding in completing the permanent improvements authorized by the Legislature, for which provision has been made by the Board of Apportionment, and which are well answer expenses of the Department. It is not shown that any appropriation has been made for that purpose. For the reasons stated by me in the opinion of this day at the Special Term, I am of Department of Parks, I think that the provisions of the Tax law of 1871 do not apply to this requisition of the Commissioners of Parks, and that it is the duty of the Controller to issue and sell the bonds or stock, and pay over the proceeds to the amounts authorized by the requisitions, or to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund. Motion for a peremptory mandamus granted directing the Controller to issue and sell the bonds or stock, and pay over the proceeds to the amounts authorized by the requisitions, or to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund. Motion for a peremptory mandamus granted directing the Controller to issue and sell the bonds or stock, and pay over the proceeds to the amounts authorized by the requisitions, or to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund. Motion for a peremptory mandamus granted directing the Controller to issue and sell the bonds or stock, and pay over the money to the relators.

The following is Judge BARNARD's opinion in the case of the Board of Public Works:

The injunction is so far modified as to permit the carrying on and completing works of a permanent character, viz., the renewing and distributing reservoirs and the laying of the main, but that the money for such purposes should not be used for the ordinary expenses of the Department. The observations of Mr. Justice INGRAHAM in similar cases decided this morning, covers all the questions raised here.

Plundering by the Ring Which it Could Not Have—The Disappointed Politicians.

A larger number of Democratic politicians, who were promised offices by Tammany, without regard to any award in votes, are, it seems, to be thrown overboard. The Ring had promised, and the certificate of election was to be given to the favorite, no matter what was the result of the ballot. In the Fourth Ward the honors of Assemblyman were promised to an energetic executor of dirty work for the Ring, and he was to be put through in the most approved Tammany style. In the Ninth Ward an ambitious manipulator of Tweed clubs was promised the office of Alderman. The Sixteenth Ward branch of the Ring had come to dislike the cage Don ALONZO CUMMAN as a local legislator, and interviewed the Senate in behalf of a "rising young politician, who was a liberal patron of the Linwood Club." It was first. A youth in the Ninth Ward, for some time a caricature on one of the large morning dailies, so encompassed the Ring as to get the promise of the nomination for Assembly. In the Fifteenth Ward a man not unknown to a sort of semi-reputation, and who had served the Ring in its troubles, was "started" for Assistant Alderman, and in several other Wards and districts the states were arranged for new men who had won the friendship and favor of the "Boss" or his "Squires." But the thunderbolt which has fallen upon the Ring has pinched all these aspiring voucher-societies overboard. The Ring was compelled to discard them and put "heavy men" in their place to try and keep its head above water, or, in the language of the "Boss," "it can't be done now; you'll have to wait, my son."

The squashing of teeth among these would-be legislators is great, and the political headquarters in the various Wards is filled with the groans of their whines and profanity. They have lost much of their ardor in behalf of Tammany, and have sunk into a sort of political apathy which will in no wise benefit the leaders who promised to be their patrons. The office of the Commissioner of Public Work is daily besieged by scores of these people and their friends. Cards are passed in, but few of them see the "Boss," and they go away grumbling. Their discomfiture gives much amusement to the "outs," while the "ins" in turn take out their satisfaction in anathematizing the whole party.

Miscellaneous Items.

The Citizens' Committee are engaged in preparing their forthcoming report, which, it is understood, will be very voluminous, and contain the details of one or more startling frauds. With this report it is probable that the labors of the Committee will terminate.

The Board of Assistant Aldermen met yesterday. The only business transacted was to concur in the resolution ordering the Harlem Railroad Company to bridge over the cut at Ninety-fourth-street.

The City Appraisers.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Do such men as ADRIAN H. MULLER, ANTHONY J. BLEECKER, and COURTLANDT PALMER belong to the Ring? This question naturally arises in the minds of the tax-payers of this City. If not, they have certainly shown that they are qualified for immediate admission. If it was wrong for INGERSOLL, GARVEY and the rest to engage and receive more than an adequate compensation for their work and goods, is it not equally so in Messrs. MULLER, BLEECKER, and PALMER to charge a small fortune for a useless appraisement of the City's property, which could be made in one week. In these days of the reform movement, should not modesty alone have deterred them from asking a fortune from our over-taxed citizens? A real estate broker who devotes his whole energy to his business during the year, and nets from $5,000 to $10,000, does well, but here are men who think they have earned $50,000 each for a few weeks' work. These men, too, are known as reformers, but "verily by their works ye shall know them." Is it not therefore right and just that they should receive the disapproval of the public in this attempt to make such a large haul from the City Treasury?

TAX-PAYER.

The Management of the Parks.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

While incidentally perusing one of the daily papers selected for Corporation advertising today, I found that an "Interview with a Park Commissioner," occupied a large space, and was headed in large type, to make the subject conspicuous, perhaps, and to give importance to the views therein expressed. Judge HILTON who has heretofore vouched for the high respectability of Parks D. SWEENY and THOS. C. FIELDS, was interviewed by a reporter respecting the management of the Parks, and HILTON naturally expressed a very good opinion of his own management; and the greatest absurdity connected therewith consists in the confidence of his ability to impose on the public. He is well satisfied with the "improvements" (?) which he claims they have made. He says at one item the cost added to the maintenance of the Central Park as $60,000 per annum, and says that it is owing to the appointment of forty men, made by them, increasing the number of Park keepers, and that the expense of their pay and clothing is about $1,500 each, per year. According to HILTON's statement, to pay and clothe the Park keepers for one year, requires the sum of $932,500, including the expenses of thirty-eight Park keepers appointed for the City Parks; yet he thinks that they ought to have more Park-keepers. But to prove his statement a very random and unreliable affair, it becomes necessary to bring forward mere figures, and to make further comparisons.

A Park-keeper's wages is $3 per day, or $1,095 per year, and a Gate-keeper in the Central Park has $2 50 per day, making $913 50 per year. Investigation will prove that the officers of the force receive less than Municipal officers of corresponding grade, except the new Captain and Lieutenant. The Park Police doctors which HILTON & CO. have provided, and who represent family connections, receive more than $1,500 out of the people's money. Deducting the actual Park-keeper's wages, $1,095, from HILTON's "about $1,500" leaves a nice balance of $405 to clothe a Park-keeper for a year and in favor of the Gate-keeper, it leaves the still larger sum of $637 50, for that purpose. Averaging the amount of Park and Gate Keepers, gives $521 25, for clothing each man a year, making the total amount for 155 men, $76,918 75, for which purpose the former Central Park Commissioners deemed the average sum of $100 per man sufficient, and consequently $15,500 would supply the amount of uniforms for which the Executive Committee of Public Parks, SWEENY, HILTON and FIELDS, need the sum of $76,418 75, more than the former Central Park Commissioners. After HILTON had given to the reporter a long statement, including many figures, he told him that he would like to have certain gentlemen to see and examine their heads of bureaus, pay-master and principal employes, to see if they appeared like a class of men who would connive at any fraud, and he had the confidence that he entertained too long, and such references are too much interested to be accepted with safety as a guide of public opinion.

HILTON said also that from $18,000 to $60,000 a year had been appropriated for the care alone of the City Parks, drawing comparisons therefrom. He omitts the difference between the eight and ten hour labor system to favor his argument, and tries to show that they have managed very economically; he compares the expenditures of former years for fireworks on the Fourth of July with theirs, and brings into consideration the amount expended by them for music.

When HILTON figures about the former and present expenditures for parks outside of the Central Park, he must know that the former Central Park Commissioners cannot be brought into comparison at all, for their active management had not extended beyond one year's actual work performed at Mount Morris square, after which the control thereof was transferred to the Street Commissioner; and residents of Harlem are well aware that but little progress was made by that Department.

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NEW-YORK, Monday, Oct. 23, 1871.

The Robberies of the Ring.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

The figures which you lay before us as representing the stealings of the Ring are of such magnitude that none but those accustomed to financial calculations on a large scale can take in their full significance. When you get into hundreds of thousands a cipher more or less makes but little difference to most people in the idea conveyed at a cursory glance. But when instead of or along with these figures the amount of labor which they pay for is given, we have a measure of their magnitude which all can appreciate.

Take, for example, one of the smallest items, the comparatively trifling one of thermometers for the new Court-house. The stealings in this one insignificant article would give employment to fourteen laborers for a whole year at the average pay which laborers receive; or, in other words, would afford a year's support for fourteen families.

The amount stolen in Mr. SCHULTEN's name would be a comfortable maintenance for 840 families for a year. Now, when we extend these calculations to the millions that have been stolen, we shall find that thousands of poor men could have been employed year by year at good wages on the annual plunder of the Ring.

Or let us take another familiar standard—rent. The stealings of ANDREW J. GARVEY, plasterer, would enable the families of 6,500 plasterers to live rent free for a year. The sums paid away yearly for arsenals alone would detray the rent of 700 families at the prices usually paid by laborers.

But there is another view of the case. The money thus expended, while it would have been of inestimable service to the laboring classes, would at the same time have given us permanent results of immense value to the City. Docks might have been built, streets graded and paved, drainages improved, and unhealthy localities rendered fit for habitation. As it is, only now, New-York is probably the filthiest City in the Union, obliging the poor to breathe an atmosphere laden with pestilence; the docks are a public disgrace, and wretched pavements of none at all render many of the streets almost impassable.

Let our laboring people ponder these facts, and I have too much confidence in their intelligence to believe that they will allow themselves to be driven like cattle to the polls to vote at the dictation of the men by whom they have been thus wronged.

LEXINGTON-AVENUE.

The Reform Movement.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

The interest shown in the "Young Men's Reform Party" is as lively and deep as its organization is timely and imperative. It has always been a subject of wonder to me why the vim, the fervor, and energy of young men, and especially educated young men, should have been so much eliminated from politics. It could only have originated in the narrow, partisan sense attached to politics, which renders the subject such a bug-bear to our decorous Christian bodies, and prevents ministers from instructing people to discharge one of the most solemn and imperative of their duties. It is now beginning apparent that we can have political agitation, which is not necessarily partisan, but purely patriotic, which will elevate principle far beyond party fealty. It needs only a real awakening of people to get them to rise and stamp out the venality and profligacy which has been so lamentably conspicuous in our municipal politics; for surely a city embodying such worth, wealth, character, and intelligence, with the great traditions of former struggles and glories, can never rest under the stigma which it has too long borne.

Let all who value public morality, civic dignity, political integrity and honest government unite, agitate and insist on supporting men of character and principle, if need be, untrammeled from any partisan consideration. You referred very justly to the propriety of the Young Men's Christian Association interesting themselves more in political questions; and as a member of that body I heartily wish so respectable and intelligent a membership would do a little more to stand by and encourage men of whatever party who are eminently known to be pure, patriotic and principled.

I hail with the most sanguine hope the formation of young men's organizations. If has been long the very movement I wished to see.

As a young man I hope to enter into this with spirit. I would venture now to suggest that this movement should not be a merely vital one while important questions are being agitated; it should rather, during recess, make a permanent position for itself. The Young Men's Reform Association should be careful to educate people to a correct appreciation of political duties and privileges; they should take steps to afford improvement to their members after this agitation is over. This might be done by encouraging public discussion by educated men on political subjects, drawing attention to the character of legislation, commending and suggesting what is good, reprobating what is palpably mischievous. In this way our legislators will see their proceedings are noticed, their shortcomings observed, and their faithfulness recognized.

PROPHET, Twenty-first Ward.

NEW-YORK, Monday, Oct. 23, 1871.

RAILROAD ACCIDENTS.

Two Serious Collisions in Pennsylvania—Property Destroyed and Lives Lost.

From the Pittsburg (Penn.) Commercial, Oct. 23.

A collision occurred on the Pittsburg, Washington and Baltimore Railroad about 2 o'clock on Friday afternoon last. The accident, if such it can be called, occurred near Bidwell's Station, three and a half miles west of Confluence. The Cumberland mail-train west, HARRY EGNOT conductor and ROCK MARIETTA engineer, collided with the local freight-train east, run by JAMES SIMS conductor, and drawn by engine No. 40 of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. No. 40 engine had been engaged during the day picking up wrecked cars along the road, and was on its way to Cumberland, where the cars were to be repaired. The train was running at a moderate rate of speed, while the mail was traveling very rapidly. The crash when the two trains came together was terrific, as both engines were almost totally wrecked; the postal car, an express car filled with oysters, and several cars of the freight train were demolished.

MOSES COLLINS, United States Mail Agent, was sitting in the postal-car when the accident occurred. The express-car of oysters was jammed into the postal-car, and both were reduced to atoms. Mr. COLLINS was caught in the *débris* and instantly killed. The stove in the postal-car upset, and the wreck immediately took fire and burned rapidly, consuming the body of COLLINS, which, owing to the intensity of the heat, could not be removed. The remains of the unfortunate mail agent were taken out of the ashes about noon on the following day by Mr. WILLIAM CLINE, a brother. Only the charred trunk about a foot in length could be found. The remains were placed in a box and taken to Connellsville to be coffined. Mr. COLLINS was about fifty years of age, and leaves a family of grown up children. He had been employed as mail agent for the Pittsburg and Cincinnati Railroad for 18 years, and Friday was to have been his last, as he was to take charge of the post-office at Connellsville on Saturday morning. He was apprehensive of an accident in which he might be hurt, and some time since expressed a desire to his friends to quit railroading. An effort was at once made to secure him the post-office at Connellsville, and it was attended with the success mentioned. Mr. COLLINS lived about four miles west of Connellsville, and he remains after being coffined were removed thither for interment. Mr. COLLINS was seen during the fire, but he was dead and was thus beyond being roasted alive. All the baggage in the car was destroyed, and also $8,000 in the safe, which by the heating of the safe were reduced to ashes. ROCK MARIETTA and DR. HUTCHISON, engineer and fireman of No. 16, which was drawing the mail train, jumped from the engine when they saw the accident could not be averted. Both were slightly bruised. The engineer and fireman of No. 40 also jumped, but escaped injury. TOM J. LYNCH, Detroit Dispatch on the mail train, had his leg broken and was otherwise severely injured. The collision occurred in a curve, and the conductor of the local freight east says he forgot entirely that there was a passenger train west at that hour of the day. The engineer of No. 40, it is said, was a new man and never over the road until Friday. SIMS, the conductor, is about the oldest on the road.

The Pennsylvania Central Railroad was the scene of another accident yesterday morning which, if it does not yet result in the loss of at least one life, has caused a financial loss of over $100,000. The Pacific express east ran into a freight train near New-Florence, about sixty-five miles east from Pittsburg. We are informed that the freight train was just from platform siding when the express came along and, at the rate of about forty miles an hour, dashed into the freight train, smashing the engine, setting several cars on fire and running property to more than the amount noted. Among the burned cars was one of the passenger coaches. One man, whose name we failed to ascertain, is reported killed. The train on the ground was in such a confused condition when the morning was so dark and foggy that he could not see the flagman, who, it appears, signalled the express before it neared the freight train. On board one of the freight cars was a considerable amount of whisky, which added no little to the conflagration which took place.

Aid for the West—Further Subscriptions.

The funds which have been donated for the relief of the sufferers by the fires in the West are now sent to Michigan and Wisconsin, except in cases where the circumstances under which the donation was made forbid that that course should be pursued. At the meeting of the Relief Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, yesterday, a resolution was adopted that $95,000 be appropriated from the fund for the benefit of Michigan and Wisconsin sufferers. It was also resolved that in future all contributions should be divided, at the discretion of the Committee, between the destitute in Chicago, Wisconsin and Michigan, unless the donors give directions to the contrary.

Telegrams were received from England announcing the contribution of £2,000 from Bradford, £1,000 from Leeds, and £600 from Greenock, through the American Committee. It was announced that the Anglo-American and the French Atlantic Cable Companies have given $1,000 each to the relief of the Chicago sufferers. A number of refugees from Chicago have been provided with relief by the Chamber of Commerce Committee.

It is announced that the London Mansion House fund aggregates nearly £30,000, and that theatrical benefits for the sufferers in Chicago are projected in the principal cities of England. The subscriptions are £3,000 from Nottingham, £3,000 from Bradford, £800 from Kidderminster, £1,240 from Edinburgh, £100 from Perth, £600 from Greenock, and £150 from Dunfermline. All classes subscribed liberally.

The subscription of J. R. CUMMINGS for $250 should be credited to BROWN, HALL & VANDERPOOL; EDGAR KETCHUM, credited with $25, should have been EDGAR KETCHUM, $50, and F. DUNWOODMAN, $5; R. W. CLARKE should have been HON. T. W. CLARKE, $250; WM. HAY's contribution of $50 should have been for Wisconsin and not Chicago; contribution by St. Bartholomew's Church, through Jacob Reese, should have been $666 25, and not $66 25.

The Alexander Mack Cotarie will give a ball at Lyric Hall on Monday night next, the profits to be devoted to the Chicago sufferers.

The following additional subscriptions have been received:

AT THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

J. J. Marian, for Michigan and Wisconsin	$100 00
N. Y. Relief, for Michigan and Wisconsin	50
Wm. H. Forst & Co. for Michigan and Wisconsin	500
West Presbyterian Church, Summit, N. J.	
For Chicago	22
For Wisconsin	8
Thomas Peake, Hoboken, for Wisconsin and Michigan	15
Employes of Halsted, Haines & Co., for Wisconsin and Michigan	130
Sixth Avenue Railroad Company, for Wisconsin and Michigan	250
St. Stephen's Church, Northcastle, N. Y., for Chicago and Michigan	38
One day's receipts at Turkish Bathed Hygienic Home, No. 41 West Twenty-first-street	41
Third Presbyterian Church, New-York, for Chicago and the North-west, one-half each	212
Sixth Avenue Railroad Company	250
R. H. McCready	100
R. H. McCready, for Michigan and Wisconsin	100
E. W. Vanderhoef, for Michigan and Wisconsin	250
Employes of Bergner & Engel	53
James T. Ward, through T. J. Pope & Bro.	1
J. W. Gerard, Jr., for Michigan and Wisconsin	10
Total	$2,142
Previously reported	$94,302
Grand total, Chamber of Commerce	$96,444

AT THE TIMES OFFICE.

For Wisconsin, L. A. B.	$ 2 00
Previously acknowledged	492 50
Total	$494 50
For Michigan—	
J. T. Allen and Employes	$325 12
R. & B.	20 00
Total	$345 12
Previously acknowledged	288 00
Grand total	$633 12

VAN SCHAICK & Co., No. 13 Broad-street, have received $505 in aid of the sufferers in Michigan.

Mr. CLARKE, President of the Stock Exchange of this City, has received the following:

Your dispatch just received. Heaven bless your Exchange for such wonderful kindness to our afflicted people.

R. B. MASON, Mayor of Chicago.

Mr. HARRY PALMER, of Niblo's, will convey to Chicago the aggregate amount of money received for the sufferers there from the theatrical benefits given in this City. The figure is expected to reach $20,000.

Evading the Revenue Laws—A New Post-Office Regulation.

It appears that it has been the practice for some time past to transmit diamonds and other valuable articles in letters and papers from Europe to this country, in order to evade the duty thereon. This has become so general of late that Secretary BOUTWELL has submitted to the Postmaster-General a set of regulations designed to meet the requirements of the case. It is proposed that whenever a foreign mailing contains such letters or packages they are afterwards opened in the presence of the party addressed, informed that a fine or penalty accrues upon the Post-office. By the strict observance of this plan it is thought the present system of evading the Revenue laws will be broken up.

ALEXIS OF RUSSIA.

Excitement in the City Yesterday—Unfounded Reports—Final Arrangements—A Bouquet From the Czar.

About 8 o'clock yesterday morning a dispatch from Sandy Hook, purporting to have come from the pilot of the steamer *Oceanic*, announced the arrival of the long-looked for Russian fleet in American waters. A subsequent telegram pronounced the first one erroneous, as it appeared that the pilot had in a dense fog mistaken the United States Naval squadron of reception, lying at anchor, for the squadron of the Grand Duke. The announcement of the arrival of Prince ALEXIS was published at once in extras issued by several afternoon papers, and created quite a sensation throughout the City, thus calling forth assurance of the enthusiastic welcome that awaits His Imperial Highness and his naval comrades. The excitement was unabated during the day, and the feeling of disappointment mirrored as each dispatch from Sandy Hook cleared the Russians yet in sight, and "the fog so dense that one could almost cut it with a knife." The mistake of the *Oceanic's* pilot operated upon the arrangements of the Executive Committee for the reception of ALEXIS like a charm, and the scene at the Committee rooms, No. 247 Broadway, was an animated one. Clerks were busily employed copying orders and dressing envelopes, while the members of the Committee were seen holding their final consultation, surrounded by large piles of bunting, conspicuous among which was the blue cross banner of Russia. The result of their deliberations was the issuing of the following order for the reception of ALEXIS:

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE FOR THE RECEPTION OF H. I. H. GRAND DUKE ALEXIS,
NO. 248 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, Oct. 24, 1871.

The following programme is published for the information and guidance of those who will participate in the reception of the Grand Duke ALEXIS:

1. Members of the Executive and Reception Committees, with their ladies, invited guests and members of the Press having tickets, properly indorsed, will assemble on board the steamer *Mary Powell*, at Pier No. 3, North River, foot of Liberty-street, at 8 o'clock on the morning after the arrival of the Russian fleet in the Lower Bay.

2. The steamer will start down the bay punctually at that hour, and take up the Grand Duke in boats of vessels, and when off the Battery will receive on board the Grand Duke and suite and convey them to Pier No. 1.

3. On arriving at Pier No. 1, the Grand Duke and suite, with the Russian Minister and suite and the Executive Committee alone, will land and be assigned to the carriages in waiting. The steamer, with the Reception Committee and ladies and invited guests on board, will then proceed as orderly as may be to the Fourteenth-street, where omnibuses will be in readiness to convey them to the stand on Union-square, from which they can witness the parade.

4. The Executive Committee request that at the landing at Pier No. 1, every effort will be made to prevent the least confusion, as it is the earnest desire of all interested that this reception shall be in every particular most dignified and refined.

By order of the Executive Committee.

JAMES E. MONTGOMERY, Secretary.

The subjoined order of sailing up the bay to the Battery was also determined upon:

		Steamer Mary Powell.	
Yacht.	Flag-ship Congress.	Flag-ship Swetlana.	Yacht.
Yacht.	U. S. Frigate Severn.	Frigate Bogatie.	Yacht.
Yacht.	U. S. Steamer Iroquois.	Corvette Alaska.	Yacht.
Yacht.	U. S. Steamer Kansas.	U. S. Steamer Tallapoosa.	Yacht.
		Yacht Fleet.	

When the squadron nears the anchorage the *Mary Powell* will steer out of line, and leave the anchorage grounds clear. The yachts must keep out of the channel-way to prevent collision. The Ninth Regiment band has not been engaged by the Reception Committee, no erroneous report to the contrary notwithstanding. Orchestras will accompany the party on both of their excursions, as well as upon the occasion of the grand reception and ball at the Academy of Music. It is understood to be the object of Vice-Admiral ROWAN in having his squadron anchored outside the Hook, that he may fire the first shot in saluting the Russian standard, and thus prevent Admiral POREMET from first saluting the flag of our country, which he would do when he came inside. This is considered in naval etiquette an act of extreme courtesy. As the Russian fleet off Kronstadt, in 1867, saluted the lamented FARRAGUT before the American Admiral had a chance to come inside, the same compliment will be returned by Vice-Admiral ROWAN. At the apartments of Minister CATACAZY, yesterday, every thing wore an air of expectancy. During the morning the Minister received several telegrams from M. DANZAS, the First Secretary of the Russian Legation, who is cruising off Sandy Hook in the United States twenty-knot cutter *Northerner*, announcing the non-arrival of the Imperial fleet. Later in the day M. CATACAZY received a cable telegram from the Emperor of Russia, expressing much anxiety as to the whereabouts of the Grand Duke ALEXIS, and requesting notification by cable as soon as the fleet should be signaled. This will account for Mr. DANZAS' continued absence in the Bay. When the Grand Duke leaves his vessel and arrives on board the *Mary Powell*, he will be received in a brief speech by Major-Gen. DIX on behalf of the citizens of New-York, welcoming His Imperial Highness to American shores. When the grand procession is opposite Trinity Church the bells will be peeled and chimes will be rung of the national air of Russia. At sunset yesterday, a dispatch was received from Sandy Hook, to the effect that nothing at all was then in sight, the wind E. N. E., light, and the weather very thick.

Mr. Beecher on His "Sympathy" with the Ring.

From the Christian Union of this week.

"We understand that Rev. HENRY WARD BEECHER takes the ground that TWEED, HALL & Co. are to be pitied—he has a 'sympathy' for them, &c., &c. He has no sympathy, or at least none for the plundered taxpayers; for the poor man, whose rent is increased by the exactions of the Ring; for the laborers, whose wages have been pocketed by TWEED and his friends. Most people would think that Mr. BEECHER's sympathy is of rather a morbid, unwholesome, sentimental, not to say an unchristian kind. However, let him settle that with his own conscience.

Does the NEW-YORK TIMES, from which we cut the above, regard it as wrong to have sympathy for erring and wicked men? Ought it to be strange that a minister of the Gospel should utter that which is the very soul and marrow of the Christian scheme, viz., sympathy with men who are suffering on account of their own wrong-doings? This is perfectly consistent with a detestation of the wickedness of wicked men, and with an earnest and efforts that the punishment. In regard to the plunderers of the City of New-York, and all those wicked political managers, on both sides, who have corrupted justice, debauched the ballot-box, and turned popular government into a mockery, we desire, as earnestly as the TIMES does, that they should be pursued, overtaken and punished, so that their example shall be a terror to evil-doers for a hundred years to come. There are few men in Sing Sing or Auburn that deserve their punishment so richly as many men in New-York City, who carry their heads high, and have grown over-confident in iniquity. If we fail to ferret out the essential rogues and secure for them their just deserts, we shall have nearly allied ourselves to them in guilt.

Not only do we hold all this to be consistent with a true sympathy for the men who as wrong-doers must be punished, but we do not believe that justice can be so well secured by any other spirit. If the expression of such views tends to dampen the ardor of the public in the arrest, trial, conviction and punishment of the plunderers of New-York, and the corruptors of its government, it is because men are acting from a low plane of motives, and in a passionate enthusiasm of anger.

We wish the TIMES to understand distinctly that we abhor the crimes committed against the public as much as it does, that we are full as earnest as it is in the desire for the detect or the evil, and the punishment of the evil-doers; and that then, if the TIMES stops, we do not, but that we go on, as every Christian man should, to experience a sorrow for the wrong-doers, a sympathy for them under just penalties, and a desire that they may be reformed, not destroyed.

While the TIMES fears that sympathy, not for sin, but for sinners, may hinder their condign punishment, we, on the other hand, are still more afraid that justice will fall through the ambitious and divisions of our Committees; the ill-natured attacks of journals on all who do not keep step to the tunes they play; and the wrangings of newspapers with each other, seemingly more intent on beating down a rival than on securing public justice. It is no time for petty spites, nor for party feeling, nor for small rivalries, nor indiscriminate rage. We should drop all other considerations that would divide or hinder the great work of Justice, and we should seek justice not as if we were beasts pursuing beasts, but as Christian men pursuing sinning men.

Dr. Woolsey on the Treaty of Washington.

Dr. WOOLSEY, Ex-President of Yale College, one of the highest authorities on international law, does not appear to coincide with Gen. BUTLER, as will be seen by the following extract from his speech at the New-Haven peace-meeting:

"Another cheering sign was the treatment of the *Alabama* claims themselves. A disposition was shown to deal fairly with them. The British Government had freely accepted three great rules, which would be in the future accepted as international law between the United States and Great Britain, and they were precisely the rules which Great Britain had refused during many of the years they were already accepted by many of the public men had been living and had condemned the position taken by Great Britain. Her neutrality laws were considered and new ones had been lately passed, which were very strict upon such points as the building of vessels by neutrals in her ports with the design of using them against another neutral."

Dr. WOOLSEY said he could not close without alluding to a speech made last week by one whom he was compelled to call a man of power on the array, in which he said that the United States had forgotten to provide in the treaty that if any British subject owned slaves in the South, they should be precluded from compensation. But the subject was brought before the Commissioners, as the protocol shows, and, as Mr. BUTLER had seen the protocol, he should have known it. The protocol states that the matter was mentioned by the American Commissioners, and the British Commissioners had stated that as there was a law of Britain that none of her subjects should own slaves, there was no occasion to mention the matter in the treaty.

IMPORTANT CAPTURE.

Arrest of a Skillful Bank Swindler—A Long and Successful Career in Crime Brought to a Close—How Banks Can be Fleeced all Over the Country.

One of the most successful, persistent and industrious careers in bank swindling was brought to a final close early Monday evening by the arrest, at the corner of Fourth and Greene streets, by detectives ELDER and MCDOUGAL, of a man about thirty years of age, sparely built, smooth face, a remarkable crooked nose, dark brown hair, partially bald, and handsomely dressed. This man, who has too many names to make any of them worth mentioning at this stage of the narrative, was taken to Police Head-quarters, where he was locked up.

About the 1st of June Detective ELDER, by request, called on Ex-Gov. E. D. MORGAN at his place of business, No. 54 Exchange-place, and was then first put on the trail of the swindler. It appeared that a short time before this man had called at the office of Gov. MORGAN with a card bearing the name B. S. DOUNER, saying he was introduced by GEO. L. DUNLAP, and vouching for him as a resident of Detroit, and an intimate friend of Senator CHANDLER, of Detroit. With this credential DOUNER stated that he desired to buy some bonds of the New-Orleans, Mobile and Texas Railroad. He was informed that he could have them by paying current rates in cash or a certified check. With this he called with a certified check for $5,000 on the Stuyvesant Bank, drawn by E. D. DOUNER to the order of E. D. MORGAN, and for this was furnished with five of the desired bonds and the check of Gov. MORGAN for $535—as the bonds were below. The check going to the Stuyvesant Bank in the regular course of business was pronounced fraudulent, as the certificate was a forgery, and no person of the name of the drawer had ever been seen or heard of in pursuit of this adroit operation. ELDER next heard of him in Toledo, Ohio, where he pretended to be engaged in buying wool, and on the strength of these operations got $2,500 from the Bank of Commerce of Toledo, on a check of BARCOCK BROTHERS & Co., No. 37 William-street, for $10,000, drawn to the order of J. H. HUNTER & Co., which was a forgery, but the fact was not discovered until after he had disappeared. He was next heard of trying to perpetrate a like swindle with the same names on a check for $9,000 on the Royal Canadian Bank at Montreal, but without success. He was next heard of at St. Louis, where he was arrested Sept. 12, and on his person was found a forged letter to J. H. MORGAN & Co., indorsing him as J. M. WHITMORE, but that fact not being known, and, nothing being proved against him, he was discharged.

While thus keeping the fugitive in sight, Detective ELDER was sent for, about the middle of August, to assist the Dry Dock Savings Bank in capturing an adroit swindler at whose hands the bank had suffered severely. A person answering the description of the prisoner had opened a small account, had added to it, and had finally deposited three drafts against which he drew for $3,000 and then disappeared. Some time afterward the City National Bank of Poughkeepsie, on settling with the Ocean National Bank of New-York, a discrepancy was discovered which was finally found to be due to the fact that the drafts for $500 each had been altered to $900, $1,000 and $1,500 respectively. These drafts were traced through the Oriental National Bank of New-York to the Dry Dock Savings Bank, and proved to be those deposited by the prisoner. The work of altering them had been most skilfully done, as not a trace of the original filling up of the drafts could be seen even with the aid of a powerful magnifying glass, nor was there the least discoloration of the papers by the acids which had been used.

This adroit operation was not the last exploit of the prisoner of which ELDER was to hear before he arraigned him before Justice HOGAN at the Tombs Police Court. Yesterday morning, when Detective ELDER took his prize before Superintendent KELSO, Hon. HENRY R. LOW, of Monticello, Sullivan County, New-York, and Treasurer of the Midland Railroad, instantly recognized the prisoner as ANDREW J. BURNS, of Fulton, Oswego, N. Y., who had obtained the bonds of the railroad to a large amount by means of a forged check.

For this offense he had been previously arrested, was committed to the Tombs Police Court for trial, had been indicted, and being released on bail, had forfeited his bonds and escaped. Coming to this City, he was "yesterday" a gentleman called on BABCOCK, BROTHERS & Co., No. 37 William-street, and describing the prisoner, stated this person had lately presented their check for $10,000 to the Bank of Commerce of Milwaukee, Wis., and endeavored to get $3,500, but did not succeed, as there was suspicion that it was a forgery, as was the fact.

This afternoon the prisoner was arraigned before Justice HOGAN, at the Tombs Police Court, but the prosecutors not being ready, he was temporarily committed until this afternoon, when the complaints will be taken. When he was arraigned he was recognized as the ANDREW K. BURNS, who was arrested at Syracuse as the suspected assassin of FISKE, the express messenger, who was shot in his car last Winter when leaving the depot at Albany. The only ground against him was the fact that he was a stranger and had a large amount of money about him, but as he was able to prove an alibi, he was discharged.

American Antiquarian Society.

The annual meeting of the American Antiquarian Society was held in Worcester, Mass., on Saturday. Rev. E. E. HALE read a paper on the discovery of the Pacific Ocean, and S. F. HAVEN, Esq., presented the librarian's report. The importance of preserving periodical literature was one of the topics treated in the librarian's report. The Treasurer's report showed that the assets of the association amount to $76,597. Some matters suggested by Dr. HALE's paper were discussed by Rev. Dr. WATERSTON and Hon. CHARLES SUMNER, of Boston. Dr. DOANE, of Cambridge, and Mr. J. D. BALDWIN, of Worcester. Mr. SUMNER referred to a statement by Mr. HALE that the Pacific Ocean is a subject beyond Gen. GARFIELD's jurisdiction, on which we shall play a foremost part. He said it may be that we shall not so recover activity on the Atlantic as to make ourselves supreme there; but we can be supreme on the Pacific, and this we must not fail to be. The Pacific is essentially ours; the Sandwich Islands will at length become part of our jurisdiction, our half-way house to China and Japan. A letter was read from Hon. ROBERT C. WINTHROP, relative to a recent discovery by excavation at Rome; also one from Prof. SILLIMAN, of New-Haven, on the original edition of the *Spectator*. Hon. GEO. F. HOAR gave an account of the monument to Capt. JOHN SMITH in the Church of St. Sepulchre, London. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Hon. Stephen Salisbury.

Vice-Presidents—Hon. Benj. F. Thomas, LL. D., of Boston, and James Lenox, of New-York.

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Recording Secretary—John D. Washburn, Esq., of Worcester.

Treasurer—Nathaniel Paine, Esq., of Worcester.

An Important Will Case—$150,000 in Dispute.

An important will case came up yesterday before Surrogate HITCHMAN. The testator, SAMUEL A. BELDEN, died at the Tremont House, in this City, on the 13th of February last. He was a resident of Brownsville, Texas, and died worth, in real and personal property, over $150,000. On the 17th of November, 1870, the testator made an alleged will, in which he bequeathed the bulk of his property to his niece, Mrs. LEICHARDT, the proponent of the will. The brothers and sister of the deceased contest the will on the ground of insanity and undue influence practiced upon deceased by Mrs. LEICHARDT, the proponent.

Mr. CORNELL, one of the witnesses to the will, testified that he did not recollect that the testator requested him to witness the will, and that he was blind and did not recognize him when he came into the room to sign the will; that the testator was very weak, and obliged to be held up in bed while he signed the will; that he told his partner, soon after the will was executed, that there was a good chance to contest the will on account of the condition of the testator's mind; that the testator was most of the time under the influence of liquor, and that the will was not read even to the testator at the time of its execution, and that the testator stated that the matter should be hurried up as he was unable to set up long

LAW REPORTS.

COURT CALENDARS—THIS DAY.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

Held by Blatchford, J.

No Adjourning.

SUPERIOR COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

Held by Sutherland, J.

No Adjourning.

SUPERIOR COURT—CHAMBERS.

Before Hon. Judge Barnard.

No Motions.

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM.

Before Hon. Judge Curtis.

No Adjourning.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM.

Before Hon. Judge Sutherland.

No Adjourning.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Before Hon. Justice Barnard.

No Motions.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM, PART II.

Before Hon. Judge Freedman and a Jury.

MINING OPERATIONS.

COURT—TRIAL TERM, PART I.

Before Hon. Judge Sutherland and a Jury.

ADMIRALTY

The New-York Times.

NEW-YORK, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 25, 1871.

Entertainments This Evening.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.
14th-st., corner Irving-place.
FAUST. (Italian opera.) Leading characters by Miss Christine Nilsson, Miss A. L. Cary and Messrs. Capoul, Rinaldini and Lucchesi.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.
Broadway, corner 13th-st.
THE NERVOUS MAN, &c. Leading characters by Messrs. Charles Mathews, Stoughton, Gilbert, Miss Ella Gerard, Mrs. Hoey and Miss Rowe.

BOOTH'S THEATRE.
23d-st., near Sixth-ave.
GUY MANNERING. Leading characters by Miss Charlotte Cushman and Messrs. Fisher and Wilson.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.
Broadway, near Prince-st.
OUR AMERICAN COUSIN. Leading characters by Messrs. Sothern and J. K. Mangomd, Miss Amy Hamlin, Miss Polly Keene and Miss Jenny Lee.

FIFTH-AVENUE THEATRE.
Corner 28th-st. near Broadway.
DIVORCE. Leading characters by Messrs. Harry Lennox, Davidge, Charles Miss Fanny Davenport, Miss Fanny Morant and Miss Clara Maria.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.
23d-st., corner 8th-ave.
HIDDEN GEM. Leading characters by Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bateman, Mr. Geo. Clark, and Miss Rose Evans.

LINA EDWINA THEATRE.
Broadway, near Washington-place.
LA PERICHOLE (Grand Bouffe.) Leading characters by Mlle. Alice Ozy, M. Paul Mio.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.
Broadway, near Houston-st.
DUMPTY DUMPTY (Pantomime.) Leading characters by Messrs. Geo. L. Fox, C. H. Fox, and the Marvellous Lafayette.
MATINEE at 2 o'clock.

STADT THEATER.
Bowery, near Canal-st.
WERNER'S FLUH. (German Opera.) Leading characters by Mr. Theo. Wachtel and Miss Caroline Ottesen.

GLOBE THEATRE.
Broadway, opposite Worth-st.
BUBLESQUE, VAUDEVILLES, and AGRO BATIC Performances.
MATINEE at 2½ o'clock.

WOOD'S MUSEUM.
Broadway, near 30th-st.
DRAMATIC PERFORMANCE, Afternoon and evening. Large collection of curiosities on exhibition.

AMERICAN INSTITUTE FAIR.
Corner 3d-ave. and 63d-st.
EXHIBITION OF WORKS OF ART, SCIENCE, AND MECHANICS. Open day and evening.

PARIS PAVILION CIRCUS.
Twenty-third-st. and 6th-ave.
ATHLETIC AND EQUESTRIAN FEATS. Dan Rice, Manager.

BRYANT'S OPERA-HOUSE,
Nos. 472 Broadway and 548 Pearl-st.
NEGRO MINSTRELSY, BALLADS, DANCING AND FUN.

The New-York Times,
DAILY, WEEKLY AND SEMI-WEEKLY.

This journal is now thoroughly identified with the material growth and prosperity of the town—encouraging virtuous efforts, exposing all forms of corruption, whether in political or social government. For years past the TIMES has been vigorously the determined opponent of ultra-political politicians, and its recent workers upon the Tammany Department has been received with universal approval. It has adhered to the pledge given in its original prospectus, more than twenty years ago, that the public should be kept acquainted, and your interests fearlessly guarded through its columns. Its record has been pure and honorable, and as the highest aim of its proprietors is to render it more and more worthy of its past history, and of the confidence which the public reposes in it, The end of three of the original proprietors still directs policy, and guides it on all public questions. They propose that the TIMES shall continue to keep aloof of all narrow and unworthy influences and objects, and aim to represent the great body of the people, as distinguished from personal factions. It endeavors to carefully ventilate all questions, and to free statement the truth, on all subjects and about all men. Its greatly increased circulation throughout the country adds to its power and influence. It will continue to be a faithful expositor of Republican principles, and advocate with unstinting energy every measure which tends to further the welfare of the people.

The editorial corps will be devoted to gathering political and news from special sources during the Presidential campaign. Other departments of the paper will be carefully full and trustworthy. Reserved discussion will be excluded as every department of the paper, and large space will be devoted to reports of speeches made during canvassing, or on other important political questions.

A very full summary of news, and many general editorial great interest, can be published in the Semi-weekly edition; and in the Weekly edition there is an unabridged report of the proceedings at the Tuesday Club, an excellent summary of political information, and a great variety of matter suitable for family reading.

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We cannot notice anonymous communications. In all cases we require the writer's name and address, not for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

We cannot under any circumstances return rejected communications, nor can we undertake to preserve manuscripts.

The GERMAN and ENGLISH EDITIONS of the Pamphlet published by the TIMES, containing a complete history of the Tammany Frauds, are now ready and for sale at the Times office. Price six cents a copy, or $4 per hundred to dealers.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The Duc d'Aumale has been chosen President of the Council of the Oise. A motion in favor of amnesty for the Communists was made, yesterday, in the Council of the Seine. The Bonapartists clamor, acting on the suggestion of the Ex-Emperor, in relation to a plebiscite. In the National Council of Civics the Bonapartist Party, on a test vote, was defeated by 32 to 22. It is reported that Prince NAPOLEON has tendered his resignation as a member of the Council. In the six Departments included in the recent treaty the Prussian occupation is proceeding gently but steadily. Ten persons were killed at Rochefort, yesterday, by the explosion of a boiler, and many others wounded. The German Minister of War yesterday, in reply to a question, said two-thirds of the infantry reserves would soon be allowed to return home, but that the cavalry reserves would still remain in service. The Court Theatre in Darmstadt was burned yesterday, and the fire was spreading rapidly at the last accounts, endangering the arsenal, which the troops at once evacuated. The Cambridgeshire Stakes, at the Houghton meeting at Newmarket, was won yesterday by *Sabinus*, defeating the favorite.... The cutting out of the schooner *Herion* from a Nova Scotian port is regarded at the Dominion capital as a mere violation of the customs regulations. The Secretary of the Treasury has declined to issue new papers to the schooner until he has received full particulars of the transaction. The London *Times* suggests an impartial Commission to settle any international question arising out of the affair.... The coroner's jury in the Trent Grosvenor homicide, in Chicago, returned a verdict that GROSVENOR was shot without sufficient cause, but that TRENT supposed he was assassinated, before in fear. TRENT is under arrest. The Committee of Judges of the United States and State Courts, in Chicago, is preparing a bill to perpetuate its time.... The Troy Gas Company's stock of coal in store—several thousands of tons—recently ignited by spontaneous combustion, and is now burning. Flames broke out last night, destroying the roof of the building.... The fires in the woods in this State were still burning yesterday, and in Wisconsin large fires are consuming barns and stacks within seven miles of Beloit.... The sentence of HAWKINS, the Mormon, in Salt Lake City, which was to have been pronounced yesterday, has been deferred till Saturday.... The Treasury Department will today begin the payment of the November interest without rebate.... The members of the Cabinet, with the exception of Secretary BOUTWELL and Attorney-General ACKERMAN, were present at the Cabinet meeting yesterday.... Four deaths in Charleston, S. C., occurred of yellow fever yesterday.

Election Topics.

To-night there will be held a meeting at Cooper Institute, at which several distinguished public men will deliver speeches—among those public men (wonderful to relate) are—both Senators CONKLING and FENTON. We are very glad to find that Senator FENTON has decided not to allow the campaign to close without letting the people know whereabouts he stands in regard to the great question of this day. The cordial assistance of Mr. FENTON and his friends in the present contest would undoubtedly be of the greatest service, and we hope there will be no slab delivered at the Republican cause this year by its professed friends—like that dealt last Autumn by MARSHALL O. ROBERTS, when he certified that the City accounts were in apple-pie order. Some of the Democratic Reformers are at present fighting a little wildly against Tammany. We cannot quite make out, for instance, what Mr. ROBERT B. ROOSEVELT is driving at. But we remember that Mr. ROOSEVELT has made one of the best speeches of the canvass against Tammany, and we cannot but believe that he is acting in good faith. We hope, however, he will consider that if a dozen men pull a dozen different ways, they are not likely to produce any result beyond treading on each other's toes and getting in a bad temper. Before the day of election we trust all sections of reformers will be found working in unison. To see the strength which is now arrayed against Tammany frittered away for want of combined purpose, would be a spectacle too deplorable to stand patiently.

As for Judge LEDWITH, he has received the nomination of Tammany to the Supreme Court, and his friends assure us that he will accept it. So at this point of the road we may as well bid good-bye to him. His path leads to the robbers' cave, and ours leads from it. We have always been told that Judge LEDWITH would not resist the blandishments of Tammany, but we preferred to believe that he was a man of honor. It seems a curious thing for any man of good repute to "sell out" to TWEED just at this particular moment, but it may be that Judge LEDWITH sees no impropriety in the act. He will find, should he take this nomination, that he has sold himself for a trifle less than old song. The public can do without him better than he can do without the public. The great cause now before us is not to be ruined—not even to be momentarily damaged—by the secession of such a man as Judge LEDWITH. Let us, however, hear what he has to say—there is a bare probability that his friends are wrong in ascribing to him a course which would render him a mark of contempt for every decent man in the community.

In other respects the reform movement goes on so well that the leaders are fully convinced that it will win. There may be some cheating at the polls, and some false counting—but the general product of these practices will be slight as compared with former years. The representations which are being made by the Committee of Seventy, and by the Young Men's Municipal Reform Association, are most thorough in their nature, and we are happy to announce that a great public meeting will be called by these bodies on *Thursday, the 9th of November*. At that meeting the people will have an opportunity of learning what has been done to secure an honest election, and of expressing their opinion on the whole subject at issue—as they did at the noble meeting held in the same building a few weeks ago. We apprehend that on that occasion very little "sympathy" will be expressed for TWEED and his gang. We hope all our citizens will understand that it is upon the approaching election we must depend for our victory over the Ring.

Legal proceedings—considering the ease with which juries are packed, and the extreme difficulty (not to say utter impossibility) of convincing them that anybody has done wrong—must necessarily be slow, and long before they could be decided the Ring might receive a fatal blow at the polls. Will not every man make up his mind to vote? Do your duty as citizens, and leave the rest to take its course. Are there not enough honest men in the community to drive out a gang of thieves from the chief places of power? We have implicit confidence in the theory that there are. The public feel that the honor of the City is at stake, and they will not inflict upon it the deep disgrace which would be involved in the renewed triumph of men who stand exposed to the world as a horde of banditti.

The last point upon which we need touch today is the reply of Rev. HENRY WARD BEECHER to our remarks on his sympathy with the Ring. Mr. BEECHER's ideas of City affairs appear to be mainly derived from HILTON and SWEENY's trumpery little "newspaper," and therefore we need not be surprised that his "pity" should be enlisted on behalf of the thieves, not of the victims. He says, however, in his paper this week, that "sympathy for erring and wicked men" is the "very soul and marrow of the Christian scheme." We had always thought that punishment for sin also formed a bit of the "marrow" of the Christian scheme: for otherwise the more desperately wicked a man chose to be, the more he would be entitled to perpetual happiness and the applause of his fellow-creatures. Some suspicion of this seems to have occurred to Mr. BEECHER, for in his reply to us he admits that he wishes to see the City plunderers "overtaken and punished." This is a very important qualification of his first statement on the subject. Had he put that clause to his sermon, we should not have presumed to have controverted the opinion of a very eminent theologian. We still look upon his "sympathy" as misplaced, foolish and mischievous—a few men preaching as he has done during the last few weeks would prove to be invaluable allies of TWEED, HALL, and SWEENY. Such an end could not be seriously proposed by Mr. BEECHER. He asks us, whether we "regard it as wrong to have sympathy for erring and wicked men." We will answer him plainly. We regard it as very wrong indeed for any man to have sympathy for TWEED, HALL, and the rest of that gang—at least until they are disgraced and punished. After that, sympathy for them could not do much harm. At present they are not in positions needing sympathy, for they still have their feet on the neck of New-York and their hands thrust into its pockets. The cry of sympathy for thieves and rogues while they are still thieving and cheating, is disgusting nonsense—which it is not something much worse. We trust, however, that Mr. BEECHER will now reserve his "Christian love" for those whose houses have been impoverished by the cruel exactions of TWEED and his accomplices.

Watching Away the Foley Injunction.

Judge BARNARD's memorable order in the Foley case has been modified and refined away till there is very little of it left. Judge INGRAHAM's decisions of yesterday, concurred in by Judge BARNARD, leave the City Departments nearly as much liberty as they ever had to spend the people's money as they think fit. It must be remembered that though the decision is nominally against the Deputy Controller, it is really against the tax-payers. Mr. GREEN's position in the matter has been studiously misrepresented in some quarters, and grossly misunderstood in others. The unpaid requisitions of the Departments of Docks and of Parks, which he is now instructed to meet, stood on the records of the Controller's office long before his appointment. Having the conviction of an honest man that he was placed there to protect the interests of the people, and to obey the mandates of the Legislature and the Courts, it was impossible for him to agree to the issue of bonds which he believed he was expressly forbidden from sanctioning. Like the great majority of the community, he understood that the Two per Cent. Act was to be literally interpreted when it said "from the sum so raised shall be paid all the expenses of the City and County Government for all their departments and purposes for each of said years," and that "no liability for any purpose whatsoever shall be hereafter incurred by any Department of the City of New-York, or officers of the County of New-York, exceeding in amount the appropriations made for such purpose." Judge BARNARD's first order was merely the judicial enforcement of these provisions, and unless the Courts should interpret the Two per Cent. Act in a sense totally different from that in which it was currently understood, the Deputy Controller had no choice but to resist the applications of the Departments of Parks, Docks, and Public Works.

Judge INGRAHAM has interpreted the Two per Cent. Act in a rather surprising way, and there can be no further question about the fraudulent and useless character of that much-lauded bill. In the words of yesterday's decision, "the whole intent of the act was to provide the moneys necessary to be raised by taxation annually in each year for the purposes of the City and County. There is nothing in the provisions referred to which, in any way, could be construed as including any permanent debt, either past or prospective, which was not to be paid by taxation during the year." "It was not intended to apply to permanent improvements authorized by former statutes which were for the increase of the City property, or for any purpose not directed to be paid by taxation." As an illustration, we are informed that "bonds or stocks for building an observatory or museum in the Park would not be an increase of the expenses of 1871 or 1872. It would be a permanent debt, independent of and exclusive of the expenses of the City required to be paid by taxation." We venture to say that real estate owners, and tax-payers generally, will fail to appreciate the appositeness of Judge INGRAHAM's distinction between the increase of expenses and the increase of permanent debt. The Park Observatory, like other City property, must be paid for some time, and the property and earnings of every citizen of New-York are mortgaged as a security for its payment. We have heard of people living upon their debts, but we should not recommend it as a salutary experiment for a great city. People may be found who consider themselves richer in the possession of a suit of clothes obtained on credit then on having one paid for on delivery. Such people, however, are either rogues or fools, and should their number be somewhat increased by Judge INGRAHAM's remarkable reasoning, they may safely be left to the curative influences of time and the Police Courts.

Remedies somewhat similar may deliver the people of New-York from the incubus of that extraordinary piece of legislation—the Two per Cent. Act—and the knaves whose peculations it was designed to cover. Let every voter look to it. The Courts cannot help us to make a clean sweep of all the Departments—the Legislature is our only remaining hope. We may imprison TWEED and one or two of his confederates without its help. We cannot repeal the charter and reconstruct the City Government unless by a majority in both Houses, pledged to vote against Tammany. There is but one point of the Foley injunction left, and that is based upon the assumption that the so-called current expenses of the various Departments cannot exceed the sum alloted by the Board of Apportionment. Even Judge INGRAHAM admits the force of the clause of the Two per Cent. Act, providing that the City and County of New-York shall not be held liable for any indebtedness incurred in excess of this. In this case, who is responsible for the $150,000 which SWEENY, HILTON and FIELDS have already expended upon the maintenance of Central Park in excess of the legal appropriation? How this money was obtained has not been explained. How it is to be repaid is equally a mystery. Clearly, the tax-payers of New-York can repudiate the obligation if they think fit.

Tammany's Candidates for the Legislature.

The defiant attitude still maintained by the Tammany Ring, in spite of the public exposures of their dishonesty and worthlessness, is strikingly illustrated in their nominations for the next Legislature, a list of which was published in yesterday's TIMES. Every one of their corrupt tools, who served them so faithfully in the last and previous Legislatures, has been renominated, while the few decent Democrats of last year's delegation have been dropped, and their places filled with men of the worst character. In the First Assembly District, representing more wealth than any other district in the City, they have outraged public sentiment as well as common decency, by renominating the notorious NICHOLAS MUHRER, who has been convicted of swindling emigrants, and who was imprisoned during the war as a bounty broker. In the Third District, which was represented last year by an intelligent and respectable Democratic young lawyer, named JOHN HAYES, they have this year substituted an ignorant and unscrupulous tool named JAMES HAYES, hoping, doubtless, that the similarity of names would deceive honest Democrats, and make them believe that the man who served them creditably last year was again in the field. And then there is TOM FIELDS, probably the most corrupt man, politically and morally, that ever sat in the Legislature; ALEXANDER FREAR, who, for years past, has engineered all the "Ring" bills through the lower House, securing their passage, whenever it was possible, without their being even read; TIM CAMPBELL, the supple tool of the Ring, who scandalized the Legislature by escorting prostitutes to the floor of the Assembly; and JIM IRVING, who was compelled to resign his seat last Winter, to prevent his being expelled by his own party, for a disgraceful personal assault on a fellow Democrat. All these men, together with others scarcely less objectionable, have been renominated by Tammany to the next Assembly, and all that bribery, double voting, and false counting can do will be done to secure their re-election.

The Tammany nominations for the Senate are no better, and, with the exception of one, they comprise the same men who have aided in foisting upon this City all the vile and fraudulent "Ring" legislation of the last two years. TWEED, NORTON, BRADLEY and GERRY, all have the effrontery to present themselves again before the citizens of New-York, and ask to be returned to the places they have disgraced, and allowed to commit new depredations upon the treasury they have plundered. In the place of CREAMER, Tammany has presented us a candidate in the person of HENRY WOLFMAN, for two years an obedient creature of the Ring in the Assembly, and at present its equally obedient tool in the Board of Aldermen. He is expected to catch the honest German vote of the Tenth, Eleventh and Seventeenth Wards. Nearly every one of these Tammany candidates already holds one or more lucrative offices under the City Government. WOLFMAN and IRVING are Aldermen; FREAR is Commissioner of Charities and Correction; FIELDS is Corporation Attorney and Park Commissioner; TWEED is Commissioner of Public Works; BRADLEY is City Chamberlain; NORTON is Court-house Commissioner; CAMPBELL is clerk in the County Clerk's office; and so on through the list. Even if the candidates were themselves unobjectionable, they would have no business to run for the Legislature while holding municipal offices that require their services here; but representing, as they do, the corrupt gang of thieves and plunderers whose robberies are about to claim the attention of our criminal Courts, with what face can they ask or expect the suffrages of decent citizens at the coming election? Yet now they are bold and defiant as ever, and backed by the repeaters and perjured canvassers of Tammany Hall, they boast that they will carry the entire Ring delegation for the next Legislature. And this they *will do* unless the people in the different districts unite on single candidates in opposition to them. Tammany is a unit, and therein lies its strength. If it is to be overthrown, there must be a united opposition. Three, at least, out of the five Senatorial districts can be carried by the Reformers, if the fight against Tammany is single-handed. One-half of the Assembly districts can be carried in the same way. But if there are to be two or three Anti-Tammany candidates in each district, all of them will be lost. Any organization or individual that is not willing to waive its personal preferences or prejudices, in order to secure a united opposition to Tammany in the present crisis, is no true friend of reform. That man who can command the strongest support, and poll the largest vote in opposition to the Tammany nominee in any given district, should be the candidate for the united Reform Party. Such a man in the Seventh Senatorial District is undoubtedly JAMES O'BRIEN. If he is not elected, BRADLEY certainly will be. Of this there can be no question. Republicans, as partisans, have not the ghost of a chance in that district. Moreover, Mr. O'BRIEN is among the earliest, staunchest, and most determined opponents of the Tammany oligarchy, and all its usurpations and frauds. He has furnished more valuable and trustworthy information regarding their villainy than any or all other men put together. Indeed, it may be questioned whether, if it had not been for him, the Tammany "Ring" would not be today holding its head as high as ever, and ruling and robbing our tax-payers with impunity. That such a man, against whose record for honesty in office not a word can be urged, and who is admitted to be the only man who can carry his district against Tammany, should encounter opposition from any section of Reformers, is not creditable to their capacity, or consistent with a sincere desire to overthrow the rule of the "Ring."

A consideration for expediency and the public good should prompt all reform organizations, and individuals of both parties, to unite in the support of Wm. M. EVARTS for Senator in the Fifth District, in opposition to MIKE NORTON. This is a district that fairly belongs to the Republicans, and if it did not, we do not believe there is an honest or respectable Democrat in the district who will not be perfectly satisfied to be represented in the Senate by such a man as Mr. EVARTS. And so through all the Senatorial and Assembly Districts; there ought to be a union of all Anti-Tammany men upon the most available candidates, a proper regard being had in each district to the claims of party, where other things are equal. It is only by such union that the discreditable nominations of Tammany Hall can be defeated, and the objects that all reformers have at heart can be attained.

A Long Swim.

Rev. HERMAN BUSSER, pastor of the Universalist Church in St. Paul, Minn., should be a happy man. He has done something that nobody ever did before. Mr. WESTON may walk a thousand miles in a thousand hours, but Capt. BARCLAY, to say nothing of divers celebrities after him, did that. The "Great American Rope-dancer" may walk on the perilous line a hundred feet from earth, but the wonderful BLONDIN did it before him, and now does it surrounded by fire-works. In fact, it takes a man of genius to do something nobody ever did before. Mr. BUSSER has won a name that cannot hereafter be erased from the scrolls of the temple of Fame. He has driven a one-horse carriage, with five people in it, a distance of fifteen hundred miles—from Lake Memphremagog to the Falls of St. Anthony.

An uninterrupted drive from the hills of Vermont to the head waters of the Mississippi was certainly rather a formidable thing to attempt; but to do it with one horse, and the latter to come in alive and well, is little short of miraculous. The reverend gentleman's objects were two-fold. He wished, "first, to benefit Mrs. BUSSER's health, and, second, to see what he could see." He had made the trip from Boston to Mississippi by rail seventeen times before. This he began to find monotonous, and so cast about to devise some variety. The ingenious turn of his mind may be inferred from the result. For, indeed, would think of driving fifteen hundred miles in a one-horse carriage. Still fewer, we may well believe, would successfully accomplish it. Mr. BUSSER, however, went to work like a man of business and, we are quite sure, like a man of humanity; since no other could have brought his horse safely in. The carriage-maker was requested to supply a vehicle that would "stand rain, or rocks, or swamps, or dust or collisions, or any conceivable power that could be brought against it on a journey to Minnesota, and yet be a carriage so light that one horse could easily carry in it a load of six hundred pounds." To this the builder made the not unreasonable response that it was not easy to combine a crowbar and a cambric needle, but that he would do his best. That best admirably served the purpose, and ought to be a first-rate advertisement; for the carriage held out as well as the horse, and the latter, "a Morgan mare with a sprinkling of French blood in her veins," trotted into the streets of St. Paul, after her achievement, as if she had merely taken a "flyer" from Central Park to Harlem.

Mr. BUSSER was forty-five days on the road, and so averaged a little more than thirty-three miles a day. He was repeatedly assured by experienced drivers that the feat he had undertaken was an impossibility. His horse would break down in less than a fortnight; the carriage would be smashed in a week; he would never even reach Chicago. The indomitable clergyman's spirit rose higher, however, for these calamitous forebodings. What he had made up his mind to do he would do, and, like most people who really make up their minds to a thing, he succeeded. Accordingly, we now find the record of his journey embellishing the columns of the St. Paul *Pioneer*. It is satisfactory to know that not only the horse—for which, under the peculiar circumstances, we should confess to feeling most solicitude—is alive and kicking, but that the whole party were benefited by their trip. The expense, Mr. BUSSER says, proved to be the same as by rail, an estimate, we suppose, which omits provisions. These, he adds, were usually excellent, and he was surprised to find so many good hotels in obscure corners of the country. In closing his account, Mr. BUSSER declares that he saw, on his journey, "no rising towns, which offered the advantages, and promised so much as the City of St. Paul and the towns at the Falls in Minnesota." He is therefore to be congratulated, apart from the garland of praise won by his unprecedented achievement, upon having secured the last and best gain of travel, which consists in learning by it to be content with home.

Curious Advertisers.

A story comes from Indiana which, if found to be correct, promises to do more toward helping the Spiritualists than the combined table-turnings of half a century. The details have been supplied to a correspondent, who vouches for the responsibility of his informant; but there is this disadvantage, that no one appears to vouch for the accuracy of the correspondent himself. The revelations will consequently have to be taken with all due allowance. About twenty years ago, a peddler who used to be often seen in Martin County, in the before-mentioned State suddenly disappeared from his usual rounds, and was no more heard of. Among the list of his peddler's acquaintance was a farmer named RUSSICK, the owner of an extensive estate within a few miles of Harrisonville, in the same county. Mr. RUSSICK was of the number of those who believed that the peddler had been foully dealt with; but having no proof of the matter beyond his suspicions, thought no more about it until one night a few weeks ago, while returning home on horse-back from market between the hours of 11 and 12 o'clock, in passing close to the trunk of an old dead tree, his attention was attracted by what appeared to be a dog-fight in an adjacent field. The horse became frightened and refused to go forward. In a moment afterward the space for several feet around the tree was illuminated with a brilliant light, through which fell a shower of red-hot chain-links. This phenomenon was followed by deep groans, which seemed to come from the ground. A noise as of a run-away team was then heard. Mr. RUSSICK did his utmost to induce the horse to move out of the road, but without avail. In his extremity, he breathed a prayer to heaven, and then gave himself up for lost. Just then the noise ceased, and a voice cried, "For God's sake, Jim, don't murder me!" After this there were no more "manifestations," and he was allowed to continue his journey without further trouble.

Now, it seems that farmers like to tell strange stories, and Mr. RUSSICK being no exception to the rule, called his friends around him on the following morning and related all that he had heard and seen. Ten or eleven of them were so much impressed with the adventure that they went to the old tree in company with Mr. RUSSICK on the following night. They had not long to wait. The links of chain fell, the runaway team was personated, and the voice was distinctly heard crying for help. One of the men recognised the voice as being that of the missing peddler. A spade and shovel were specially procured, and after digging around the tree for a few minutes a skeleton was found, with the skull fractured, as if by a heavy blunt instrument. Some particles of clothing were also unearthed, which Mr. RUSSICK identified as being a portion of the suit worn by the peddler on the day of his disappearance. Further than this there seems to be no evidence of identity; and, so far, the chances are not in favor of the discovery of the murderer. As a spiritualistic speculation, however, the story has proved a success, and must result in bringing quite a brisk business to the half-starved "mediums" of Indiana during the coming Winter.

MINOR TOPICS.

"We built a sheep-fold, a beautiful structure, and generally admired." Such is one of the claims upon public gratitude of the Sweeny, Hilton and Fields Park Commission. We should think that the people who admire a sheep-fold constructed like the water works of a jail must be so difficult to find as the trustful and steadfast friends of TWEED'S youth. The sheep-fold is about as valid a claim upon public admiration as the defacement of Madison and Union squares, and the wonderful triumph of Bedlam gardening to be found in the Beach-street grass-plot—all executed under the same tasteful and economical supervision.

The habit of concentrating the whole telegraphic business of the West and North-West at Chicago has lately produced a great deal of inconvenience to the merchants of Dubuque, Milwaukee and other cities. Hitherto all messages for that section of country have been routed at Chicago; but since the fire there has been so much confusion that letters have arrived at their destination several hours ahead of the dispatches. To prevent a recurrence of this difficulty, it is proposed to lay a submarine cable across Lake Michigan. Western men seldom lose time in discovering a project if it seems feasible, and the result is that in Detroit a committee of the Chamber of Commerce has been appointed to confer with the telegraph companies, and the President of the Milwaukee Railroad and Steamship Line has offered the free use of a steamer to lay the cable. Nearly every city in the Northwest has more or less interest in this enterprise, and will cheerfully assist in getting the work under way as soon as possible.

We see that an attempt is being made to induce Judge RICHARD P. MARVIN to run as Democratic and strong candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court in the Eighth or Buffalo District, against GEORGE D. LAWRENCE, the Republican candidate. We do not believe that Judge MARVIN will consent to terminate the reputation of a life time, and to close his honorable career by so dishonorable a course. The rides are that he was a candidate before the Republican Convention, and came within a vote or two of securing the nomination. There is no claim of unfair dealing in the Convention. "Sinatra of locality" doubtless had some influence in procuring his defeat, but the real reason was that he is now sixty-eight years old, and if elected could only serve two years of his term of fourteen. At the end of two years there would be a new election, unless the Constitutional amendments to be voted on in 1873 gives us an appointed judiciary. If the latter should be the case, the place would be filled by the Governor, and if he should happen to be a Democrat, Judge MARVIN would have the pleasure of seeing that his opinions had secured the appointment of a Democratic Judge in a strong Republican district. Judge MARVIN lives at Jamestown, where the atmosphere seems to rather determine holes, but they have not hitherto added so much to any one's reputation that sinner like Judge MARVIN can afford to try the experiment.

Tammany is making frantic efforts to control the German Democratic General Committee. At last night's meeting MAGNUS GROSS, and other creatures of the Ring, came out in their true colors, while Mr. OTTENDORFER displayed the steadfast honesty of purpose which he has displayed ever since he embraced the cause of Reform. If the Committee allows itself to be sold to Tammany at its meeting tonight, it may as well abdicate its functions, for it will assuredly have ceased to represent the honest German sentiment which is its sole title to public recognition.

Judge HILTON says that the force of Central Park Police provided by the old Board was highly inadequate, and that the necessity for increasing it partly accounts for the extravagant expenditure of his regime. As to the discipline and order maintained in the Central Park since the creation of HILTON'S Department, the respectable frequenters have but one opinion, and that is very decidedly unfavorable to the new and more numerous Police force. The truth is, that the former Commission was a body of gentlemen, and was of an important character. The Park management was not run, as it now is, as a political machine, and the old Board did, consequently, better service out of the sixty Watchers than the Tammany trio get out of their 117.

It will be seen that the Tammany County Convention last night resolved in the nomination of all the old incumbents, with the exception of LEDWITH for Supreme Court Judge and SHANDLEY for Register. The "Big Judge" is throwing overboard in favor of the man who went to Rochester at the head of his "legion" of two hundred roughs to control the Democratic State Convention. Whether the Judge will shoot the indignity remains to be seen. Probably he will—unless that neither he nor SHANDLEY have the ghost of a chance of being elected therefore this Fall, with or without the Tammany nomination. The people intend to fight "not Sweeny" on the 7th of November.

The nominations thus far made under the advice of the Committee of Seventy are excellent. None, indeed, could be better. Give the tax-payers such men as Judges DALY and BRADLEY, Gen. SIGEL, CHARLES O'CONOR, SANFORD, J. THOMAS, WILLIAM M. EVARTS, &c., to vote for, and it will be their fault if the Municipal Government is not purified. Let the work go on on the same enlightened spirit. Series high in all your nominations. Let the strife question above personal and party aspects. Nominate your very best men "to the front." WILLIAM F. HAVEMEYER, JOHN C. GREEN, ABRAHAM R. WOODHOUSE, MICHAEL ULLMANN, JONATHAN FOULKE, JAMES C. ROOM, with others of their class, should be sent to the Legislature.

"If," said Mr. HAVEMEYER, in conversation yesterday, "the citizens of New-York, of the approaching election, by a united and vigorous effort, rebuke municipal fraud and corruption, the work of political demoralization in other cities and States will be arrested."

THE LIVONIA BEATEN AGAIN.

Race with the Dauntless on the Open Lake Course—The Americans Twice Winner with Ease.

Commodore JAMES ALLAIRE started yesterday morning to sail over the course, in pursuance of his challenge in the letter to the Committee dated Oct. 23, and also to sail a second match with the *Dauntless*. The morning was very bleak and dismal, with a light north-east breeze and a thick fog. After a short delay the Regatta Committee took the Dauntless out to 10½, and the two Lake fishermen on to the Livonia, both yachts were taken over to the Sandy Hook Light-ship. The weather still kept very dark and foggy, but the breeze was a fair one for the Lake. The Lake started about 11½ o'clock on an easterly course, to shoot through the Dauntless, after stringing her up by a rope yard, very properly considering that she was more gun boat, and lacking about half an hour later, turn off to the northward. The breeze still pretty low down, and did not give much hopes of a good race. The Dauntless was then followed by the Lake, at 11½. The wind still held tolerably good, but was light enough for good yacht-racing. The Lake was hung pretty steadily to the Dauntless, weather quarter, but do the best she could, the latter steadily increased her distance. It was, however, a very short race, and interest flagged. After the turn the Dauntless tacked at 12½ and overtook the Livonia, who passed the Dauntless there for a half a mile to leeward. The Livonia stood on for a short distance, and finally tacked at 12½. The breeze was still holding pretty steady, but freshening up a little every hour. And it was nearly one of the questions to get any kind of a start, although the Lake surmised were that the Lake they could not be far from a fair start. The Dauntless was steadily improving her lead and overhauling us to windward. The Dauntless was fairly caught another shoot of the Livonia. The Dauntless tacked again at 1½ and the Livonia was evidently determined to stick to her, and she was soon on port. After making a short stretch the Dauntless went on the port tack at 2½. The Livonia still kept on the starboard tack, and finally tacked at 2½, and followed after her leader. By this time the Dauntless was about two miles ahead of the Livonia, and the Lake was now very well now that the breeze had freshened to 16½ to the long-legged for stake-boat came in sight on the lee bow, and at 3½ the Dauntless went in stays and lay up to weather her. The Livonia was behind her, and the race was now quite a lively one. There was now quite a lively breeze, and the race became very interesting. The Dauntless finally carried the stake boat about fifteen minutes ahead of the Englishman, who had by that time received a fair and square thrashing. The Dauntless then turned, and, with a half point free, was doing very well, and keeping wind, was getting pretty far ahead of the water. The Livonia went about again at 3:30, and started for the Light-ship. The Dauntless took in her kennel and the tender yard, so as to give the foreigner every chance under sheet. The Dauntless tacked well, and stood along, some fifteen minutes ahead of the Livonia, who jibed around. Now that they had the wind dead aft, the Dauntless boomed out her foresail on her starboard side, and put her balloon staysail. The Livonia kept her boom on the starboard side, and carried a big sail. The wind was dead aft, the water as a lively rate, following after the Dauntless. The race home was very interesting, each yacht holding its own very steadily. The course was now west and east, and the breeze holding very good and pretty. During the first hour, the Livonia appeared to gain steadily on the Dauntless, but she for was no deceiving that it was nearly impossible for her to get her from position. At 4:35 the Light-ship came in sight, and the Dauntless, who had been keeping too much to the southward, brought her boom over to the starboard side and started with all canvas drawing well. The breeze had freshened up at this moment, and shortly was fully alive from the Livonia. Coming home after the race, it was blowing very fresh, and the Livonia started away her foresail. Commodore Bennett, who was on the ground, in a steamer, in an endeavor to get the old time allowance, is reported as giving away about five minutes time to the Livonia.

The following is the correct time of the race:

	Start.	Stake-boat.	Anchor.
Dauntless	H. M. S. 11 [illegible]	H. M. S. 3 [illegible]	H. M. S. 3 [illegible]
Livonia	11 [illegible]	3 [illegible]	3 [illegible]

	Actual.	Corrected 1871.	Corrected 1870.
Dauntless	H. M. S. [illegible]	H. M. S. [illegible]	H. M. S. [illegible]
Livonia	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Commodore BENNETT, therefore, wins the Gamble Cup by 11 minutes 2 seconds actual time, and 4 minutes 2 seconds corrected time. It must be remembered that Mr. BENNETT sailed under the old time allowance rules so as to give the Livonia every chance.

POLITICAL.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

ELECTION TUESDAY, NOV. 7.

Secretary of State.....D. WILSON SCRIBNER.
Comptroller.....NELSON K. HOPKINS.
Treasurer.....THOMAS RAINEY.
Attorney General.....FRANCIS C. BARLOW.
State Engineer & Surveyor.....WILLIAM E. TAYLOR.
Canal Commissioner.....ABEL BARKELEY.
State Prison Inspector.....THOS. HIERSPATRICK.

The last days for registering votes in this City are the 1st, 2d and 4th of November. The day of election will be the 7th November. Any citizen may found the proper place for registering his vote on application, personally or by letter, to the Headquarters of the Committee on Elections, No. 32 West Union-square, third floor. The office will be open from 9 A. M. until midnight. Remember that you cannot vote unless you register.

NEW-YORK STATE.

Speech of Senator Fenton at Jamestown —Tammany Frauds Responsed to the State Administration.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., Oct. 24.—Gov. FENTON and Hon. FORTER SHELDON addressed a large Republican meeting here to-night. Gov. FENTON spoke at length, and ably reviewed the measures and home policy of the administration of the Republican Party, its financial management, the collection of revenue, the payment of the debt, and the reduction of taxation. He also spoke of our foreign policy, on its having closed all cause of complaint from with our citizens, and as having inaugurated conciliatory and progressive views of national rights and justice upon the minds of the civilized world. After speaking of the mismanagement and wrongs in the City of New-York, he said there had been and figures show that what may be called and Tammany Democracy, if it ever existed, has vanished thoroughly from the State Government. They are repeated in the State Administration—men in future so enormous and startling but so uniformly alike in character. He then enumerated the obligations incurred and the expenditures during the two years of Democratic rule with and for year, immediately preceding. He pointed that these facts sounded an impressive warning against continuing the Democratic Party in public trust. Gov. FENTON commented the utmost carelessness in the manner, and a hearty support of the Hicks Nominations, notwithstanding the bad spirit and bad conduct of men who are prominent in our own political affairs, and who are now, together, as one man for the triumph of our cause and the success of our ticket.

Mr. SHELDON then addressed the meeting.

MASSACHUSETTS.

The Republican State Central Committee's Address to the Voters—Gen. Gangy Endorsed.

BOSTON, Oct. 24.—The Republican State Central Committee have issued an address to the voters of Massachusetts reviewing and commending the policy of the party in the past, and taking a hopeful view of the future. Referring to President GRANT'S Administration the address says:

"Three years ago Massachusetts gave GRANT an overwhelming majority for the Presidency, confident of his patriotic integrity and wisdom, and believing in the doctrines of the platform upon which he was nominated. In that great political contest he represented the Republicans that desired duty free intelligence and impartial suffrage; for financial honor, and against repudiation in any form; in sympathy with the children and sufferers of the war, pledging the nation to stand by the living heroes, and to protect their orphans; in favor of a policy declaring that naturalized citizens are entitled to be protected in all their rights of citizenship, as though they were native-born; and expressing their sympathy with all oppressed people who are struggling for their rights. Upon these doctrines he has conducted his administration. Coming into power at the close of an era of disorder and war, he found the Southern States then hanging on the verge of the Government to their proper position, has established good order within their limits, has secured to the loyal men there free citizenship and impartial suffrage, and with an admirable mingling of moderation and firmness has succeeded in suppressing all disorders and all lawlessness. The financial policy has become the admiration of the world. His foreign policy has set an example of peaceful adjustment of international difficulties which adds a brilliant chapter to our diplomatic history, and teaches mankind a valuable lesson of humane and Christian negotiation. And he has placed the American nation in the free front among all the prosperous and powerful. Of all this high and honorable work of finance and diplomacy, Massachusetts has had a distinguished share. She has her only behalf with pride and satisfaction the advance of her political aims throughout the length and breadth of the land, but she has also added to her long list of illustrious sons, new names which will endure as long as a grateful people shall remember the successes of this true Republican Administration since the close of the war—an Administration which is securing to the nation all the fruits of the great contest. Following now the example of these powerful and important States which have just for an approving seal upon the acts of the Republican Party and Gen. GRANT'S Administration, it becomes her to rally in her strength for the great and good cause. Let it never be said that Pennsylvania and Ohio are in advance of Massachusetts. Let party divisions cease. Let every Republican remember that the Commonwealth demands his service for her own honor, and in the first step she is to take toward that national campaign which is to vindicate her career in the family of States, confirm the judgment of her illustrious living statesmen, and shed new light around the memory of her hallowed dead."

THE WORKING MEN AROUSED.

Mass-Meeting of the Cooper Union—The Tammany Treachery Denounced—War Declared Against Corrupt Rulers.

A mass-meeting of the Working Men's Political Party was held last night in the large hall of the Cooper Union. The meeting was well attended and enthusiastic.

Mr. T. W. ELLIOT, who acted as Chairman of the meeting, in an opening speech said that the delegates who had been chosen to carry out the eight-hour demonstration had formed themselves into a political party, and the present meeting was called to give expression to the views of that party. They were to lay before the meeting a platform which was such a one that none opposed to reform can help but assist to stand by the living honest, and to protest the ordinary complaint of citizens

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The result of the day's work at the Exchange Yesterday, Oct. 17, was not as good as was expected. For although the attendance was very large, owing to a manifest indisposition on the part of those present to make bids equal to the value of the property offered, the auctioneers were forced to withdraw a good portion of the real estate advertised to be sold. The event of the day, and that in which the greatest interest was evinced, was the executor's sale of property belonging to the estate of Felix Brannigan, deceased, conducted by Messrs. R. H. Ludlow & Co. For the details connected with that part of it which was sold, reference is made to the summary appended. The names of purchasers are also noted. As to the prices realized they may be termed fair, but not remarkable. The St. James Hotel property was purchased in the interest of the estate, as were such other portions as are set down to the name of Mr. Rose. The hotel was sold yesterday for $410,000, a sum far less than its estimated value, but it was purchased by Mr. SPOFFORD, in lieu, as the partition sale of the Tilleton estate, conducted by A. J. BLEECKER, Son & Co. for $200,000. Full particulars as to all the real estate sold, however, as stated, will be found below.

In addition to the above, JOSEPH McGUIRE, by order of the Surrogate, sold, in four parcels, the following lots, both under the direction of James H. Coleman, Esq., referee, disposed of improved property located respectively on Fifty-first and Forty-seventh streets, details in regard to which are also appended. The three-stone house and lot No. 256 Carroll-street, Brooklyn, offered by Messrs. BURNHAM & DE LA MONTANYE, although knocked down for $26,500, was not sold. Aside from real estate at a stock sale, the following securities were sold at the percentage prices noted by MULLER, WEMPLE & CO.:

$12,000 Brooklyn City, N. Y., seven per cent. Public Park Improvement bonds, due 1915, coupons January and July, sold at 110¼ per cent; $6,000 Brooklyn City, N. Y., seven per cent. Wallabout Bay Improvement bonds, coupons January and July, $3,000 due 1884, $12,000 due 1885, $9,000 due 1886, 100¾ to 101¾; $10,000 Kings County, New-York, six per cent. War Enlistment bonds, coupons May and November, due 1879, 99¾; $5,000 New-York City, New-York, Bounty Fund twenty year bonds, registered, interest January and July, due 1877, 107 to 107⅞; $10,000 New-York and Erie Railroad Company third mortgage, seven per cent. bonds, coupons March and September, due 1883, 86 to 89; 200 shares American Exchange National Bank, par $100 each, 128 to 128½; 100 shares Metropolitan National Bank, par $100 each, 132½; 150 shares St. Nicholas National Bank, par $100 each, 113 to 113½; 100 shares Mount Vernon National Bank, New-York, par $100 each, 98 to 98½; 300 shares Union National Bank, par $50 each, 132; thirty-nine shares National Bank of Commerce, par $100 each, 119; thirty-five shares Dry Goods Bank, par $100 each, 70; thirty shares Mercantile Fire Insurance Company, par $50 each, 60¾ to 61; $1,000 New-York City Central Park Fund, Twenty year bonds, registered, quarterly interest, July 1, 1890, 95¾; and $1,000 County of New-York Six per cent. Assessment Fund stock, interest May and November, due 1887, sold at 96.

A. J. BLEECKER, Son & Co. also disposed of stocks as follows: 100 shares Toledo, Wabash and Western Railroad stock, par value $100 each, sold at 20¼, and 1,000 shares Northwestern Railroad stock, par value $100 each, sold at 8¾.

At private sale, V. E. STEVENSON & SON, No. 11 Pine-street, report having recently sold for Mr. Hunter Brooks the following City property: Four-story high-stoop brown-stone house and lot, 20 by 80 by half block, No. 51 West Thirty-seventh-street, $24,000.

Exchange Sales, Thursday, Oct. 26, 1871.

By R. Ludlow & Co.

(Specified Estate.)

Marble building and lot, 4-story front, st. Jaques Hotel, s. w. corner of Broadway and West 26th-st., plot 24.8x100.1x88.8x61.11, rented under old lease for $26,000 per year; purchaser, J. Rose $410,000

Granite house and lot, No. 128 Bleecker-st., 20 ft. n. of Wooster-place, rented under old lease for $1,000 per annum, lot 22x80; J. Rider, purchaser 20,000

3 lots, s. e. corner of 1st-av. and 102d-st., each 25x100; S. Rose, purchaser, $2,200 each 7,000

2 lots, s. s. of 52d-st., 92.7 ft. e. of 8th-av., each 25.11x100; T. Fardy, purchaser, $2,350 each 4,700

2 lots, n. s. of 52d-st., 92.7 ft. e. of 8th-av., each 25.11x100; J. Cassidy, purchaser 4,600

1 lot, s. s. 4th-av., 24.11 ft. n. of 126th-st., adjoining above, 25x92; C. V. Howe, purchaser 4,250

1 lot, w. s. 4th-av., adjoining above, 25x100; same buyer 4,250

1 lot, w. s. 4th-av., 24.11 ft. s. of 126th-st., adjoining above, 24.11x100; J. Rose, purchaser 4,000

2 lots, w. s. 4th-av., adjoining above, each same size; same buyer, $2,750 each 11,200

1 lot, s. w. corner 4th-av. and 126th-st., adjoining above, 24.11x100; W. A. Stewart, purchaser 6,600

1 lot, s. s. 126th-st., 99 ft. w. of 4th-av., in rear of above, 24x92.11; E. F. Fairchild, purchaser 4,600

1 lot, s. s. 126th-st., adjoining above, same size; J. Rose, purchaser, $2,250 each 4,500

2 lots, s. s. 126th-st., adjoining above, same size; A. Weed, purchaser 4,500

1 lot, s. s. 126th-st., adjoining above, same size; M. Wall, purchaser 4,500

1 lot, s. s. 126th-st., adjoining above, same size; J. Rose, purchaser 4,500

1 lot, s. s. 126th-st., adjoining above, same size; R. C. Thorpell, purchaser, $2,200 each 10,000

1 lot, s. s. 126th-st., adjoining above, same size; M. Wall, purchaser 4,500

2 lots, s. s. 126th-st., 100 ft. w. 5th-av., each 25x100.5; E. F. Fairchild, purchaser, $2,200 each 10,000

1 lot, n. s. 124th-st., adjoining above, same size; J. Rose, purchaser 4,500

2 lots, s. s. 124th-st., adjoining above, same size; M. Wall, purchaser 9,000

1 lot, n. s. 124th-st., adjoining above, same size; M. Wall, purchaser 4,500

1 lot, s. s. 123d-st., 225 ft. e. of 1st-av., 25x100.81; J. Philipps, purchaser 5,750

1 lot, s. s. 121st-st., 175 ft. w. of Avenue B, 25x100.10; M. Cronin, purchaser 3,625

1 lot, n. s. 121st-st., adjoining above, same size; Thos. Harper, purchaser 3,625

2 lots, s. s. 119th-st., 225 ft. w. of Avenue A, each 25x100.10; M. Lindvell, purchaser, $2,875 each 7,750

ADDITIONAL SALES.

By Joseph McGuire, Referee.

4-story high-stoop brown-stone house and lot, s. s. of 51st-st., 19 ft. w. of 8th-av., lot 21x100.5, Columbia College lease; Wm. C. Traphagen, purchaser $28,750

3-story high-stoop brown-stone house and lot, s. s. of 47th-st., 19.4 ft. w. of 7th-av., lot 18.8x100.5; Joseph Schlesinger, purchaser 11,750

BROOKLYN.

By R. H. Ludlow & Co.

(Specified Estate.)

1 lot, n. of Henry-st., between Montague-st. and Herkimer-st., 25x100; David Briggs, purchaser $800

MICHIGAN REAL ESTATE.

Farm, 160 acres, Kent County, and 10 lots in City of Grand Rapids, each lot 50x132, sold in one parcel; Wm. Wood, purchaser $18,000

CITY REAL ESTATE.

WE HAVE IN 56TH-ST., 6TH AND 7TH-AV., the handsomest marble porticos stoops that has been built; all best wood and by day work, at very reasonable prices for the quality; also, one lot, 25 feet, one of the most eligible houses in the City; $94,000 bottom; also, one of the very best full fronts, $68,000, easy terms.

HATCH & VAN DOREN, No. 410 6th-av.

A MAGNIFICENT HOUSE ON WEST-FIFTH-ST. Brown-stone front, high stoop, full width and, extra depth; all the latest improvements, best-wood finish, and in first-class order throughout; will be sold at a sacrifice during, if applied for at once. Apply to ISAAC HONIG, No. 2 Pinehst.

A DECIDED BARGAIN.—A THREE-story and basement brown-stone house, on East 26th-st., will be sold cheap; only a small amount of cash required; or will exchange for other desirable property. Apply to owner, No. 18 Nassau-st., Room No. 7. Will satisfy with business.

A.—24 VALUABLE LOTS BETWEEN Avenues St. Nicholas, Amsterdam with 8th-av. and the Grand Boulevard, on 10th-st. for sale low; fine present, grand prospective value.

V. E. STEVENSON & SON, No. 11 Pine-st.

FOR SALE—NEAR 5TH-AV. ON 24TH-ST., a factory, thoroughly-built new high-stoop brown-stone dwelling, with all the modern improvements; also, Sixth; lot, half the block; possession.

V. E. STEVENSON & SON, No. 11 Pine-st.

FIFTH-AV., NEAR 24TH-ST.—A medium-size brown-stone dwelling with every modern convenience, recently completely renovated. For sale cheap; possession.

V. E. STEVENSON & SON, No. 11 Pine-st.

FOR SALE—THREE THREE-STORY HIGH-stoop brown-stone front houses, Nos. 246, 248 and 250 West 26th-st., just finished; built in best manner; size of houses 18x52; lot 100.5 to 5 deep; not separate bills on premises; price $71,000.

$40,000.—FIFTH-AV., NEAR 30TH-ST.—A superior new house, that cannot be matched in price for the quality; No. 37; very desirable; easy terms; best location.

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HOTEL TO LEASE ON BROADWAY.—Stock and fixtures for sale; capital required about $11,000. Apply or address MANUFACTURERS' UNION CARRIAGE REPOSITORY, No. 691 Broadway.

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN, ANOTHER brown-stone house, 25x50-st., 4th-av. and 32d-st., 6th st. 4 7th ave. J. W. STEVENS & BROS., 67 6th-st., N. Y. Ave. 2 P. M.

CITY REAL ESTATE.

CHARLES S. WEITZ,
REAL ESTATE BROKER,
No. 10 BROADWAY.

Would respectfully inform the purchasers of real estate in private sales, or at auction, or rent. Particular attention given to exchanges of real and property located in the City.

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN, IF APPLIED for at once, an elegant country residence, near the Central Park, with the beautiful Harlem-river, grounds, fine conservatory, hothouses, stable, well bred of carriage, with furniture &c. Price, including all that is required, $25,000.

WARD & GIDDEN, Conveyancers, corner 10th-st.

BARGAINS IN HOUSES IN 50TH-ST., 6th and 7th-av., 25 feet, 4-story high-stoop, full width and extra depth; all the latest improvements, best-wood finish, and in first-class order throughout; will be sold at a sacrifice during, if applied for at once. Apply to ISAAC HONIG, No. 2 Pinehst.

A VERY CONVENIENT AND ATTRACTIVE HOUSE, 18 feet wide, 3 stories, 18 rooms, marble mantels, gas, hot-water boiler, hydrant, stable, and about 100 feet of ground, well located, for sale. Apply to owner, No. 48 Cedar-st., Room No. 7.

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DESIRABLE AND WELL LOCATED lots, with builders' plans, at reasonable prices, and good materials. Also, one and 2d-av., above 42d-st., long only and commenced sewer in good value.

HATCH & VAN DOREN, No. 410 6th-av.

HOUSES IN ALL LOCALITIES AT all prices, for sale. P. G. & D. BROWN, No. 189 Broadway.

BROOKLYN REAL ESTATE.

A RECORDER BARGAIN.—A FOUR-story and basement brown-stone house, on Sands-st., will be sold cheap. House strictly first-class; in a fashionable A 1. Terms to suit, or will exchange for country or City property. The reasons it also for sale phone. Apply to owner, No. 78 Nassau-st., Room No. 7. Will not deal with brokers.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—AT BROOKLYN HEIGHTS—A large first-class brownstone house, on Willow-st., in complete order. Apply to TAYLOR & STEARNS, No. 116 Pineapple-st., Brooklyn.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

A BARGAIN.—BEAUTIFUL SUBURBAN Estate and grounds, within twenty-five minutes of New-York business offices, and accessible by over fifty trains daily; situated near depots in the best portion of Bloomfield; large ground; extra large hot-house and stable room, lawn, garden, &c. Home is comfortable, roomy and tasteful; modern design and fittings; combines the best of executive improvements, with a steady rise in value. All City conveniences combined with country air, food and living; good markets, schools, and encouraging travel. Payments in good shape.

CHOICE BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE.

For view of house and full particulars of property, address OWNER, Post-office Box No. 226, New-York.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—IN JERSEY HEIGHTS, in Jersey City, or Ocean, Clifton and Jackson ave., 100 splendid building lots at another on the premises, THURSDAY, Oct. 26; property overlooks the bay, neighborhood; the improvements: Ocean-av. paved with Belgian; gas; water; Jackson-av. covered; Clifton-av. graded. The most important sale for years in Jersey City. Terms ten per cent down, six per cent in thirty days, twenty-five per cent in one year, balance in two years. Take excursion train on Newark and New-York Railroad, from foot of Liberty-st., New-York, at 1 o'clock precisely. Maps and tickets on the ground. For maps and free tickets apply to E. K. Spencer, Attorney for the foreign owner of premises, No. 78 Broadway; or W. P. Byrnes, No. 105 Broadway; or T. M. Gibbs, Auctioneer, No. 32 Montgomery-st., Jersey City; or at the railroad depot on day of sale.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE AT HEMPSTEAD, Long Island, five minutes from depots, nineteen miles from New-York; a desirable house with every improvement and about two acres of ground, stocked with every kind of fruit. Price, $8,000. Would exchange for house near Hamilton, Adelphi or Pulaski-sts., Brooklyn. Apply to W. & E. A. CRUIKSHANK, No. 46 Broadway.

A BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE AND GROUNDS AT CLIFTON, STATEN ISLAND, FOR SALE, in every respect one of the finest places on the Island; will be sold on terms to suit, and as a decided bargain, or will exchange for City property. Apply to owner, No. 78 Nassau-st., Room No. 7. Will not deal with brokers.

A COUNTRY HOUSE—FLUSHING; twenty-five minutes from New-York; all the modern improvements; greenhouse, stables, extensive features large lands; this property will be sold at a sacrifice; it is in perfect order; can be occupied immediately. Address W. E. LEAVITT, No. 118 Wall-st.

WE WOULD CALL THE ATTENTION of capitalists and investors to the purchase of new property in the lower end of Westchester County. We can offer for sale several plots of from 10 to 100 acres, on the Hudson River.

P. G. & D. BROWN, No. 189 Broadway.

MORRISTOWN PROPERTY FOR sale—Desirable residence, with good improvements, and land from square upward.

S. RIDDY & CO., No. 1 Park-place.

ORANGE, N. J.—COUNTRY HOUSES, lands and village lots for sale; a great variety. Also, furnished and unfurnished houses to let for seasons or years. BLACKWELL & SMITH, 245 Broadway, 1 to 3 P. M. Orange, Number Main and Cedar-sts.

DWELLINGS TO LET.

TO LET—FROM NOW TILL MAY, FOR $300, the fine house situated just adjoin from Summit Station, on the Morris and Essex Railroad, over a fine carriage road a pleasant drive in Summer and Winter; building, large 2 story, detached, private school-house, and stable. The premises consists of 100 acres, and the property is in the market for sale, price $25,000, $10,000 of which can remain. The New-Jersey West Line Railroad runs through it, and is now under construction. Apply to ROBERT T. PRESCOTT, No. 78 Chambers-st.

TO LET—A BEAUTIFUL AND COMMODIOUS brick dwelling, forty-five minutes from New-York; and half block from the depot, on the line of the Central Railroad of New-Jersey—to a person with family, capital, well qualified to keep a genteel boarding-house; or will sell or lease on a large scale. Apply to A. D. HOPE, No. 119 Liberty-st.

TO LET—ON THE BANKS OF THE HUDSON, 20th-st., Bloomingdale, a dwelling-house, with barn and stable, and plenty of land for a garden, for eighteen months from the latter November next; a pleasant place for a gentleman with a small family. Apply at No. 5 Beekman-st., Room No. 7, first door.

TO LET—ON STATEN ISLAND, NORTH Shore, a cottage, well heated and thoroughly comfortable, with five acres of land, fine shade and fruit trees, vegetable garden, beautifully situated, only twenty minutes' walk from landing. Apply to WM. H. HALL, No. 56 Wall-st.

TO LET—AT FORT HAMILTON, NEAR 10th-av. horse-car, and within forty minutes of Wall-st. early by a Bergen ferry-boat, a handsome single-family villa, with garden, coach-house, stabling, &c. Apply to ROWE & ARMSTRONG, Fort Hamilton, or at No. 52 Lockwood-st., New-York.

ORANGE, N. J.—RENT LOW TO APRIL.—Handsome furnished residence complete; thirteen rooms; stable; ample grounds, near depot, churches and schools. Apply to HAMILTON & WALLIS, No. 9 Nassau-st. Specialty, Orange real estate.

TO LET—A NEAT BRICK HOUSE IN A good neighborhood, with every convenience and in good order; $1,200. Apply to F. W. WILLIAMS & SON, No. 236 West 23d-st., adjoining North River savings Bank.

PART OF A HOUSE TO LET—FURnished or unfurnished, or good board for a gentleman and his wife, in a strictly private family, where there are no children or boarders. For terms apply on the premises, No. 1 West 16th-st.

TO LET—THIRD FLOOR, CONSISTING OF two rooms; one or two additional rooms if wanted; in brown-stone house, No. 34 West 14th-st., for light housekeeping; small family. PRESCOTT.

TO LET—A FURNISHED RESIDENCE IN Westchester County, one hour from the City; will be rented low to a desirable tenant. Address H. M. G., Box No. 5,792, Post-office.

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OFFICES TO LET IN TIMES BUILDING.

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Apply at TIMES COUNTING-ROOM.

TO LET—A FINE SUITE OF OFFICES IN Continental Insurance Company Building, No. 102 Broadway; will be ready for occupancy about May 1. Apply immediately to R. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 52 Pine-st., or L. J. CARPENTER, No. 68 Wall-st.

TO LET—LARGE NEW DOUBLE FACTORY, with power, (Otto's five horse,) Nos. 8 and 10 Mercer-st., Newark, N. J.; very central and desirable. Inquire of Dr. E. COLES, No. 323 Market-st.

NINE LOTS, 50 BY 100, WITH STEAM Power, to let; suitable for light manufacturing purposes; good light. Apply at 3 and 37 Wooster-st.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

S. E. OGDEN, Auctioneer.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE GREAT SUCCESS of the late sale of property at Alturas, announcement to the citizens of Rockland County, and the public generally, that he will sell at public auction, on

THURSDAY, OCT. 26, 1871,
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The three-story and attic brick dwelling-house, (high stoop,) known as No. 21 St. Mark's-place; house 20x44—exclusive of two-story tea-room in rear, 20x12; lot 20x112.10. 6. The three-story and attic brick dwelling-house, (high stoop,) known as No. 23 St. Mark's-place; house 20x44—exclusive of two-story tea-room in rear, 20x12; lot 20x112.10. 7. The three-story and attic brick dwelling-house, (high stoop,) known as No. 25 St. Mark's-place; house 20x44—exclusive of two-story tea-room in rear, 20x12; lot 20x112.10. 8. The three-story and attic brick dwelling-house, (high stoop,) known as No. 27 St. Mark's-place; house 20x44—exclusive of two-story tea-room in rear, 20x12; lot 20x112.10. 9. The three-story and attic brick dwelling-house, (high stoop,) known as No. 29 St. Mark's-place; house 20x44—exclusive of two-story tea-room in rear, 20x12; lot 20x112.10. 10. 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The three-story and attic brick dwelling-house, (high stoop,) known as No. 191 St. Mark's-place; house 20x44—exclusive of two-story tea-room in rear, 20x12; lot 20x112.10. 91. The three-story and attic brick dwelling-house, (high stoop,) known as No. 193 St. Mark's-place; house 20x44—exclusive of two-story tea-room in rear, 20x12; lot 20

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AMUSEMENTS.

Musical.

ORATORIO AT STEINWAY HALL.

A satisfying, though a rather uneven, performance of "The Messiah" took place at Steinway Hall last evening, with Mme. PAREPA-ROSA, Mrs. SCOUTS and Messrs. SIMPSON and COOK as the vocal quartet, and the choral forces of the Mendelssohn Union, and a full orchestra under the direction of Mr. GEORGE F. BRISTOW. Mme. ROSA has often been heard in oratorio, and the rather less acquainted with the lady's resources and talent need hardly be told that she is of all concertantes in America, the one most competent to do justice to the deep sentiment and grand phrases of that order of music of which HANDEL is the highest representative. Last night's audience was moved and charmed anew by the lady's delivery of "Rejoice Greatly," of the second part of the funeral air, "He Shall Feed His Flock"—the first being allotted to the contralto—and of "I Know that My Redeemer Liveth," each of these pieces producing an encore. The sympathetic quality of Mrs. SCOUTS's voice, aside from a recollection of the artist's culture, an effect proven, with never-failing recognition, on the operatic stage, caused her share of the work to be received with favor, though the intentions of none of her contralto lines and a style, not severe enough for oratorio, would scarcely have commended her labors to critical listeners. Mr. GEORGE SIMPSON is well known as an interpreter of HANDEL's music, to the recital of which he brings a well-controlled organ, a good deal of taste, and a knowledge of all the traditions. Mr. COOK's singing was of unequal merit; in the aria "The People that Walked in Darkness," there was abundant promise, which the rendering of the very florid music, at a more advanced stage of proceedings, did not fulfill. The choruses were given with unusual precision, and, like the orchestra, were handled with a keen eye to the value of contrasts. The chorus, "For Unto Us a Child is Born," was especially creditable to the singers and to the conductor; equally difficult writing has never been read with more clearness and finish, though prominence, on the same platform, Steinway Hall, it only remains to add, was quite filled, and there was a great deal of applause.

Italian Opera.

To-night, Mr. STRAKOSCH's artists appear at the Academy of Music in "Faust." The distribution of parts is identical with that which marked the brilliant performance of the opera in Boston, at the outset of the season. GOUNOD's work is to be interpreted as follows:

Margarita ..... Miss Nilsson
Siebel ..... Miss Cary
Faust ..... M. Capoul
Mephistopheles ..... M. Junet
Valentine ..... M. Barré

Theatrical.

BOOTH'S THEATRE—MISS CUSHMAN AS "MEG MERRILIES."

In *Meg Merrilies*, nearly thirty years ago, Miss CUSHMAN secured her historic pre-eminence, in winning her proudest if not her first artistic triumph. With that impersonation her name has since been chiefly identified, and on it her future fame will largely rest. In other parts she is great, greater perhaps than others. In *Meg Merrilies* she tramples on comparison, and is first without a second. She has made it her own with that safest monopoly of genius which suffers no interference or approach. A generation of play-goers has grown up since she last played the character in New-York, and when it was announced for Monday night at Booth's, expectancy was naturally great. We can give this wonderful performance no higher praise than to say that it fulfilled alike the most exacting demands of memory and tradition. Whatever may be the judgment of Miss CUSHMAN's other parts, to this, at least, years have wrought no diminution of the fire and intensity of passion which electrified her earliest audiences. Her *Meg Merrilies* today is, if anything, more harmonious, more truthful, more terribly real than ever before. In other days she may have acted—now she is—the wild, mysterious Gipsy Queen, a vitrant Fythoness, held mad and half inspired. From her first thrilling entrance to her appalling death scene the identity of the actress is absolutely lost. One fancies that even the actors feel the influence of this weird, startling apparition; that *Dandie Dinmont*'s terror is not altogether assumed; that *Bertram* actually shrinks from the assault of this fierce, aggressive, large. And certainly it requires no appeal to theatrical illusion to understand why *Dirk Hatteraick* should grovel as he does beneath the whirlwind of wrath, contempt and menace that meets his attempt on the life of the inspired witch. The face which the actress turns on the baffled assassin is simply unearthly, so baleful are the threatening eyes, so fixed and livid and ghastly the stony features. That single look and attitude would stamp Miss CUSHMAN an unapproachable artist. It is not often that processes on the stage come adequate to results. The kindly offices of the imagination are asked to bridge the gap between cause and effect. But Miss CUSHMAN's *Meg Merrilies*, without this gracious help, gives ample reason for all the influences she is supposed to exert on the other personages of the drama. Her power extends even beyond the footlights, and the audience is impressed with much of that subtle sense of terror and awe which the Gipsy Queen exerts on the creatures of the dramatist. The limited applause was a striking tribute to the depth of this impression.

It is difficult to do justice to such a representation as this without making honest praise trench on the language of hyperbole. But in Miss CUSHMAN's *Meg Merrilies*, faults, if they exist, are forgotten in the grandeur of the conceptions and the heedless vehemence of its embodiment. We have no time to criticise or to do aught but wonder. Yet there is none the less visible throughout the personation the most careful and delicate elaboration of detail. Daring and original as are the poses and the gestures, violent as seem the transitions of emotion, they have the naturalness and consistency which denote the perfection of art. Every detail, from the pitiless fidelity of the make-up to the harrowing, almost revolting, vividness of the facial expressions, is evidently the fruit of ripe and conscientious thought. Of this, however, the spectator sees nothing at the time. The massiveness of the performance fills the stage, and blinds him to the separate elements which go to make its strength; and is so only after ward that a calm retrospection reveals its minutest beauties. Not the least of these is a beauty which might not be expected from this most masculine mind, the thorough femininity of the conception. Its frenzied love, its fiery hate, its fierce constancy and sublime devotion, its inequalities and swift, subtle changes, are womanly to the best and broadest sense. Through the rags and squalor of the Gipsy Queen, through the mists and semi-darkness of madness, even through the stone formidable wall of an exterior made carefully and artistically repulsive, there shines the noble soul of a loving and self-sacrificing woman. What lends much of its pathos to the representation, and makes the dying scene painful beyond expression, is the remembrance that there is before us a woman who loves intensely, yet whose cruel fate it is to inspire always fear and repugnance rather than affection.

Miss CUSHMAN appears in but four short scenes of "Guy Mannering," and to these the interest of the drama begins and ends. The dramatization of the novel is not particularly good, and elsewhere the play drags. With little to do except to give a *raison d'etre* to Miss CUSHMAN's extraordinary creation, the remaining actors do that little for the most part well. Mr. ARTHUR MATTHESON sang *Bertram's* songs with considerable taste and feeling, and the numerous glees were very nicely rendered by the chorus. Mr. ANDERSON was decorously amusing as *Dominie Sampson*, and the rather sketchy parts of *Dirk Hatteraick* and *Dandie Dinmont* received due care at the hands of Messrs. WALKER and PENNO. Mr. JOHN WILSON as *Col. Mannering* satisfied the requirements of a not exciting part, and the same may be said of the ladies. (Miss PATEMAN and Miss GELDER.) who played respectively *Julia Mannering* and *Lucy Bertram*.

The Brill's Switch Manslaughter.

WILLIAM THOMPSON, the switch-tender on duty at Brill's Switch on the New-York and Newark Railroad, last Summer, when five men lost their lives, was yesterday placed on trial in the Essex County Court of Oyer and Terminer. The prisoner, who is only nineteen years of age, pleaded guilty. The Grand Jury presented a report asking the Court to deal leniently with him. He was remanded for sentence.

Significant Silence.

From the Buffalo Commercial Advertiser.

It is well known that TWEED and other notorious Ring-leaders in the Tammany camp have caused themselves to be nominated for the State Senate. In the very City where they ruthlessly plundered the treasury and robbed the people, they bring themselves forward as candidates for offices of trust and honor. They are almost certain to be elected. Their crowd will rally, as the polls, and enough votes will be stuffed into the ballot-box to defeat any man who may dare to run against Tammany.

Now what have the prominent Democratic journals to say on this matter? Have they a word of condemnation for the unblushing scoundrels who are insulting the people by asking for their votes? Not a word. No denunciation of TWEED or any one of the "regular" Tammany candidates is to be found in Democratic "editorial utterances." The very editors who claim that the Rochester Convention did repudiate Tammany, and who profess to rejoice thereat, are silent as the grave in regard to the damning fact that the Ring's candidates are the "regular" nominations in the Metropolis.

And then, again, the men in the unfortunate City, who honestly desire to overthrow the Ring, have nominated a ticket that embraces worthy men of both parties. It is headed by Judge BARRETT as candidate for Justice of the Supreme Court. CHARLES P. DALY is the candidate for the Court of Common Pleas. FRANK SIGEL is the candidate for Register. There is not an independent, honest journal that has anything but unqualified approval to express in behalf of this ticket. It represents the true, earnest reformers in both political parties. What have leading Democratic journals to say of this ticket? Nothing! Not a line in the New-York World—not one in its faithful imitator, the Buffalo Courier? Now why is it that these Democratic journals are silent? Why have they not expressed disapproval of the nomination of TWEED and his associate thieves? Why have they no word of encouragement for the general reform ticket? Can our Tammany-serving contemporaries give a satisfactory answer to these questions?

National Insurance Convention—The Question of Taxation Discussed.

The Convention held its sixth day's session yesterday. Mr. BREESE, of Wisconsin, offered a resolution, that provision for the amalgamation of such life companies as may desire to avail themselves of it, should be included in the insurance laws of the several States, and that the Committee on "Winding up of Companies" be instructed to devise appropriate legislation for this purpose. Referred.

Superintendent MILLER moved a series of resolutions affirming in view of the great fire in Chicago: First—The vast importance of an effectual system of insurance, embracing an amount of capital adequate to all emergencies. Second—The advisability of any State making discriminations against reliable outside companies. Third—The imperative necessity of uniformity and reciprocity in the insurance system; and Fourth—The charging by companies of adequate rates, and the laying aside of larger reserves for great emergencies. Laid on the table.

The Convention then called upon Mr. PARKER to explain the memorialize Congress to exempt life policies from the operations of the Bank-rupt law.

The report of the Committee on Taxation was next discussed. Mr. BRAMAN defended his State, Wisconsin, from the charge of levying exorbitant rates on outside insurance companies.

Mr. REYNOLDS, of Alabama, was in favor of exempting insurance companies from taxation.

Mr. WHITE, of Kentucky, was opposed to all taxes. He would levy license fees on insurance companies doing business in the State.

Mr. JAMES, of Louisiana, moved the following resolution, which was adopted:

That it be recommended that the uniform rate of taxation be one per cent on the gross premium of life insurance companies, and one per cent on gross premium of marine insurance companies, and that fire insurance companies be assessed one half per cent on every form of policy terminating at the death of the insured, and one per cent on every other form of life policy.

The Convention then adjourned.

Bank Robbery in Newark.

A well-dressed man entered the Essex County National Bank late on Monday afternoon, when only three clerks were in the building, and engaged one of them in conversation relative to the purchase of some Essex County bonds. If the bank had closed, but as is customary with Newark banks, the doors were left unlocked. While the two were conversing, another well-dressed man entered and talked with another clerk about selling a certificate of deposit for $1,000. The third clerk left meantime, and while the conversation was proceeding, the other stranger came in, stepped behind the counter and stole $6,000 in greenbacks. The three men left together. Information was left at the Police Station yesterday, and detectives were set at work upon the case. They have received notice from the Savings Institution that the three men called at that place Saturday and made operations similar to those mentioned to the attention of the clerks in the Essex County Bank.

The Hoboken Water Front.

The suit of the City of Hoboken for the ejectment of the land and improvement Company from the river's front at Hudson street, was continued yesterday, before Judge BEDLE, in the Hudson County Supreme Court. PATRICK KERRIGAN and HENRY MONKS were the principal witnesses for the complainants. Most of the testimony related to the former lines of the City, and the dates of the laying out of the streets on the ground in dispute. The defense has not yet opened.

The Ludlow-Street Jail Delivery.

In pursuance of Judge BARNARD's instructions, made on the representations of Assistant District-Attorney SULLIVAN, the latter has entered upon the duty of investigating some forty cases of persons now claimed to be unlawfully imprisoned in the Ludlow-street Jail. It is represented that these parties are imprisoned for non-payment of debts which they can never pay, or the non-production of bail which they can never procure, and that such imprisonment is contrary to the spirit of the law. It is expected that Mr. SULLIVAN's investigation into these cases will result in a recommendation for a discharge of the majority of them, at the opening of the Court of Oyer and Terminer on Monday next.

The Stickney Case.

In the Supreme Court, Brooklyn, yesterday, before Judge TAPPEN, an application was made by SAMUEL G. COURTNEY, counsel for Mrs. MANSFIELD, to vacate the injunction granted last week by Judge PRATT, restraining her from publishing certain letters which she had received from JAMES FISK.

Mr. WILLIAM A. BEACH appeared as counsel for FISK.

Judge TAPPEN said he could not then spare time to hear the argument in the case, and he directed the motion to stand over until Monday next.

Base-Ball.

The Atlantic and Mutual Base-ball Clubs played their last game together for the season on the Capitoline Grounds, yesterday. The Mutuals won, 24 to 8. Today the last game between the White Stockings of Chicago and the Athletics of Philadelphia, takes place on the Union Grounds. This is the deciding game for the championship, which, if the Philadelphia club wins will be theirs; but if they lose, the Boston club will be champions. The defeat of the Chicago Club, at Troy, has thrown them out of the contest.

LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

NEW-YORK.

Gen. J. G. HAZARD, of Providence, is at the Albemarle Hotel.

Col. C. J. SPRAGUE, of the United States Army, is at the New-York Hotel.

Baron GOSKOROSKI, of Russia, and Gen. S. E. MARVIN, of Albany, are at the Brevoort House.

The Chelsea Club, a new social organization, will have a grand opening to-night of their club rooms, No. 321 West Twenty-third-street.

"Demagogues and Working Men" will be the subject of a lecture by ANNA DICKINSON at Steinway Hall to-morrow evening.

The sum of $340,116 46 was collected for taxes on Monday by Mr. BERNARD SMITH, Tax Receiver.

Judge J. M. WOOLWORTH, of Omaha; Rev. WM. H. BENJAMIN, of Irvington, N. Y., and Rev. O. P. STARKEY, of Connecticut, are at the St. James Hotel.

Col. G. E. HUTCHINSON, of Cleveland, Ohio; Gen. FRED. MEYERS, of Buffalo, and Judge R. D. TRAVER, are at the Sturtevant House.

Gen. F. P. FLINT, of the United States Army; Judge CLAYTON, of Mississippi, and Hon. S. G. READ, of Boston, are at the Grand Central Hotel.

A lecture on the "Dyspeptic Club of Pie Town" was delivered last evening at Association Hall, in aid of the Chicago sufferers, by the well-known humorist, DR CORDOVA.

TIMOTHY COFFEE was attacked yesterday, at the corner of James and Cherry streets, by as unknown man, who cut him in the right side, inflicting a severe wound.

JAMES ROBERTS, of No. 404 Second-avenue, was stabbed in the chest, yesterday, when at the corner of Twelfth-street and Third-avenue, and received a severe wound.

The statement in an evening paper that Deputy-Controller GREEN was present at the opening of the Tweed Club-house, on Monday, is not true. Mr. GREEN was not there.

The Hudson River Railroad cut through Weehawken, connecting the east with the west side, is almost completed, and trains will be run from the Central depot very shortly.

Lieut.-Col. A. Pearson, of England; President A. D. White, of Cornell University, and Ex-Congressman D. E. McCarthy, of Syracuse, are at the Fifth-avenue Hotel.

JOHN BEADY, of No. 71 Lewis-street, died yesterday, at Bellevue Hospital, from injuries received on Saturday, by being knocked down at Lewis and Delancey streets by a street car of the Dry Dock line.

Attorney-General Marshall B. Champlain, Gen. Nordis W. Halsted, of New-Jersey; Senator D. G. Morrill, of Johnsonburg, Penn.; Hon. A. McCullough, of Pittsburg, and Hon. N. M. Fourcroy, of Auburn, are at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

Gen. T. W. Sherman, of the United States Army; Col. Jerome N. Bonaparte, Gen. H. S. Briggs, of Plaistow, Mass., and Lewis A. Mullen and Inman, of the English Navy, are at the Hoffman House.

ROSA NEWMAN, aged thirty-two, a German, whose residence is not known, fell dead in a First-avenue car yesterday evening. The body was taken to the Seventeenth Precinct Station-house.

FREDERICK WILLIAMS, of No. 347 West Twenty-seventh-street, was seriously injured yesterday by falling from a third-story window of a new building in East Sixty-second-street. He was taken to St. Luke's Hospital.

Work on the New-York cutaway to the East River bridge is progressing so rapidly that in about four weeks it is expected that it will be entirely sunk, when work will be immediately commenced in the building of the pier.

Many of the docks in the vicinity of Washington Market are in a very imperfect condition. In some of them holes exist large enough to admit the body of a man, and accidents are of frequent occurrence.

From appearances the banana trade promises to be very large this season. Schooners are arriving daily from the West Indies with tremendous loads. Prices will consequently be cheap during the Winter, though the regular trade is only in its infancy.

The filling up at the Battery, where the sea wall has been built, is not done with the best sort of material. Large quantities of ashes and dirt as well as oyster shells with putrid matter inside are freely used. The smell is consequently anything but agreeable in the vicinity.

An inquest was held yesterday by Coroner HERMAN in the case of WILLIAM MAXWELL, of NO. 329 East Forty-first-street, who died from injuries received by being thrown from his carriage, at One Hundred and Forty-second-street and Eighth-avenue, Monday afternoon. A verdict of accidental death was rendered.

The Italian department for adults in the Primary School-house, in Greene-street, has commenced its fall session. Fifty-five more pupils have joined the English class. The pupils are chiefly Italian emigrants, desirous of learning English, that they may be better fitted to earn a livelihood in this country.

There will be a reunion dinner of the Alumni of the Medical Department of the University of the City of New-York, at Delmonico's, on the corner of Fifth-avenue and Fourteenth-street, on the evening of November 16. The Chancellor, Rev. HOWARD CROSBY, D. D., LL. D., and other well-known gentlemen, will participate. Graduates by the class of 1871 are requested by Secretary, Dr. CHARLES INSLEE PARDEE, No. 72 West Thirty-fifth-street.

BROOKLYN.

The Forty-seventh Regiment was reviewed and inspected yesterday afternoon on the Union Grounds by Brig.-Gen. J. V. MESSEROLE and staff.

The remains of THEODORIC B. PEYTON, which were found in the East River on Monday, have been removed to Princeton, N. J., where the funeral services will be held today.

In the United States District Court, yesterday, a libel was filed by GARY RIGNEY against the tug-boat *Francis King*, to recover $2,580 for the sinking of a coal-boat.

HERMAN JUST, a cigar manufacturer, in Sixth-street, E. D., was fined $100 by United States Commissioner WINSLOW, yesterday, for refilling and offering for sale old cigar-boxes.

HENRY HARPER, the sailor who, in July last, killed the first mate of the ship *Nightingale*, of Cape Horn, was yesterday discharged by United States Commissioner WINSLOW, the evidence having shown that the killing was done in self-defense.

An inquest was held yesterday, by Coroner WHITEHILL, touching the death of Mrs. MARY O'NEIL, who, two weeks ago, jumped—while laboring under a temporary attack of insanity—from the second-story window of her residence in Auburn-place.

ABRAHAM LEVY, of No. 209 Church-street, New-York, charged MARX GOLDSTEIN, yesterday, before Justice WORRIKER, with having purchased $280 worth of clothing from SOLOMAN MERLIN, knowing at the time that it had been feloniously stolen from the (LEVY's) store. Goldstein was committed.

Coroner JONES will, this morning, commence an inquest touching the death of the victim by the East River bridge casualty, HENRY DOUGHERTY, who had his spine severely injured by a piece of the falling timber, and who was taken to the City Hospital, had sunk so low last night that the doctors abandoned all hope of his recovery.

LONG ISLAND.

The Board of Supervisors met at Jamaica, yesterday, and acted upon the vexed Court-house question by deciding to repair and put in complete condition the present Court-house and jail.

As the late Flushing train was entering Long Island City, on Monday night, THOMAS MCQUADE jumped from the train, and on striking the ground was knocked senseless. His injuries are considered fatal.

The farmers of Long Island have determined to settle the question of a market by locating at Hunter's Point. A plot of land, embracing an entire block, has been offered at a moderate sum, and the three railroad companies have signified their intentions of subscribing to the stock of a Market Company.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

The Third Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., has been ordered to turn out today and assemble at Mount Vernon, for the annual review and inspection, by Brigadier-Gen. RYDER and staff.

Mr. JOHN MORGAN, mason, while at work on St. John's Episcopal Church, Yonkers, on Monday, fell from a scaffold, and struck a lower scaffold and a pile of stones, and was thereby seriously injured.

NEW-JERSEY.

The additions being made to the State House will cost $200,000. The new wings will be ready for use by the 1st of January.

The New-Jersey State Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held in Association Hall, on Broad-street, Newark, today.

MOSES HENRY, one of the men suspected of the murder of MCMAHON, at Hoboken, on the 15th inst., was yesterday taken to the County Jail.

HENRY JACOBS, a child six years old, was run over by a coal train on the Central Railroad, at Elizabeth, on Monday evening and received serious injuries.

Yesterday morning a carpenter shop and a new dwelling were burned on Leaman-street, New-Brunswick. The buildings were owned by Isaac Briston. Loss, $2,500; insured for $2,000.

JOHN WAYE who was convicted on his second trial of murdering his father, will be sentenced to death in the Camden County Court some time this week.

The funeral of the late WM. H. GALLAGHER, a well-known citizen and politician of Jersey City, took place yesterday afternoon, at the Henderson-street Congregational Tabernacle.

The trial of JOHN W. GRISTEN for the murder of EDWARD HARGRAVES, was adjourned yesterday in the Camden County Court in consequence of the mysterious absence of THOMAS BUSH, the principal witness for the prosecution.

ARMY AND NAVY RECORD.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—Capt. Paul Thurley has been detached as Chief of the Staff of the Pacific Fleet and ordered to return home; Lieut.-Commander Charles L. Stockington has been detached from the *Jamestown* and placed on waiting orders; Pay-master George R. Wastine has been detached from the *Jamestown* and ordered to settle accounts; Second Assistant Engineer E. W. Tournier has been detached from the *Mohican* and placed on waiting orders. The War Department promulgates in general orders the circular of Secretary Boutwell, dated the 10th inst., requiring disbursing officers of the United States, except Pension Agents, drawing checks on moneys deposited to their official credit with the United States Treasurer, or any Assistant Treasurer, in favor of themselves or bearer in lieu of any person other than a public creditor, to state on the face or back of the check the object or purpose to which the avails are to be applied.

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FOR EUROPE.

Sweden	Oct. 21.....New-York	Glasgow.
Scotia	Oct. 21.....New-York	Liverpool.
Colorado	Oct. 21.....New-York	Liverpool.
City of Antwerp	Oct. 21.....New-York	Liverpool.
Oder	Oct. 21.....New-York	Liverpool.
Cuba	Oct. 21.....New-York	Glasgow.
Palmyra	Oct. 21.....New-York	London.
Deutschland	Oct. 21.....New-York	Bremen.
City of London	Oct. 21.....New-York	Liverpool.
Oceanic	Oct. 21.....New-York	Liverpool.
Alpania	Oct. 21.....New-York	Liverpool.
England	Oct. 21.....New-York	Liverpool.

FOR HAVANA, &c.

Missouri	Oct. 26.....New-York	Havana.

Closing of Foreign Mails at Post-Office.

WEDNESDAY.

For Europe, via Queenstown, by the *Cilicia*, at 12 M., with a supplementary mail for *double-paid* letters only on her pier, No. 4 North River, until 1½ P. M.

THURSDAY.

For Europe, via Queenstown, by the *City of Antwerp*, at 11½ A. M., with a supplementary mail for double-paid letters only on her pier, No. 45 North River, until 1½ P. M. For Havana and West Indies, by the *Missouri*, at 2 P. M.

Closing of Domestic Mails.

North, Post Kempt's Way	8 A. M.; 3 P. M.
North, through via H. R. R. R. and New-York Central	8 A. M.; 3 P. M.
North Way, via Harlem R. R.	8 A. M.; 1:30 P. M.
East, via New-Haven	8 A. M.; 1:30, 3 P. M.
East, via Newport	8 A. M.
East, New-Haven Way	8 A. M.; 1:30 P. M.
East, Fall River, mail	3 P. M.
South, Through	8 A. M.; 1:30 P. M.
Philadelphia Way	8 A. M.; 3:30 P. M.
West Mail, through to Harrisburg, Pittsburg, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Louisville, Indianapolis, Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul, St. Joseph, Salt Lake and Dunvez	8 A. M.; 3:30 P. M.
West Mail, through to Cleveland, Toledo, and by Z. and G. Western R. R. to Chicago, Meadville, Penn., &c.	8 A. M.; 3:30 P. M.

Passengers Arrived.

OCT. 24—*In steam-ship Cambria, from Liverpool*—Miss Duncan, Mrs. Jessie Munroe, Mrs. L. Slaughter, Mrs. J. R. Hudson, Mrs. Alfred Mackay, Mrs. Nathan Bishop, Miss Bishop, Nathan Bishop, Jr., Mr. J. H. Murdoch, Rev. R. R. Marshall, J. W. Spring, R. H. Chapell, Isaac Jenks, Col. G. S. Sanford, G. H. Sleepy, Wm. Hyndman, R. Shillaber, Mrs. Harriet Goding, Mrs. Ann Brown, Mr. Dr. Wright, Miss Mary Orared, Miss Charlotte Rogers, Miss Tuttle, Mrs. Tuttle, Mrs. Jessup and child, F. C. Newman, Thomas H. Parsham, C. B. Yardley, W. W. Reynolds, Mrs. Reynolds, J. Richard, Jr., Mrs. J. Richard, R. H. Lockwood, Miss N. E. Herman, James St. Denis, F. R. Hughes, Wm. O'Neill, Alfred De Sousara, Major Shaad, Mrs. Shaad, Mrs. O. S. Steele, G. H. Steele, Dr. D. C. White, Mrs. White, Mrs. Nellie Lester, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lester, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill, Mr. Mason A. B. Ross, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Ross, Mr. S. L. Bradley, Mrs. Jane Bradley, Miss Bradley, W. H. Swett, J. J. Springer, H. W. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Lawton, Miss Lawton, Miss Lawton, D. Richard, A. C. Rickard, Miss L. C. Rickard, Wm. Arthur, Thos. Hume, Mr. Kilson, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon, Mrs. Emily Walden, Mrs. Sanford, Miss E. A. Sanford, Miss S. G. Sanford, Miss E. R. Sanford, Miss Wesmond, C. H. Middleton, W. R. Rickham, E. F. Fowler and servant, J. H. Oglesby and servant, Miss M. J. Ogle, Mrs. Miss Florence Oglesby, Miss Minnie Oglesby, Mr. Sherwin, Miss Tracy, Miss Rockwell, Miss Ella Walden, Miss Walden, Miss E. A. Walden, W. E. H. Trowbridge, Mr. Kinney, Rev. M. E. Becker, C. C. Dawson, Wm. Dothard, W. R. Hepburn and family, F. R. Scott, James D. Fraser, Geo. H. Blood, F. Lallemy, Miss Lallemy, Mrs. Lallemy, Master Lallemy, child, Mrs. Becker, Mrs. Hart and family, Mr. Vernon.

OCT. 24—*In steam-ship Wisconsin, from Liverpool*—Henry Ritter, Mrs. F. C. Dunning, Mrs. J. C. Minot, Mrs. S. S. Constant, Miss Alice Constant, Miss Mary Constant, Miss Emma Bokum, Dr. H. D. Buckley, Miss R. E. Buckley, Miss E. A. Buckley, Gil. Buckley, J. H. Stanton, Mrs. Stanton, A. Stanton, Mary Jones, D. Liddle, Mrs. Liddle and child, Dr. J. R. Wolf, R. Middleton, Mrs. Middleton, Mrs. Maury, Fred. Ay. Hodge, Mrs. Hodge, Miss E. Willcox, E. H. Thomson, James Gallup, A. C. Wilde, Wm. H. Guion, Mrs. Guion, Miss M. R. Guion, Master Louis L. Guion, Master Stanton W. Guion, Mary J. Johnston, E. W. Lawrence, E. D. Weald, Jr., Miss A. Pease, Mrs. Marion, Miss Marion, Oct. 24, Mrs. Jas. R. Lee, Mrs. Lee, Dr. H. Barnard, Jane Edmondson, Rev. J. J. Crowley, Rev. F. Harnett, Rev. J. Hannan, Rev. J. Ryan, Rev. J. Phelan, Rev. P. Power, Rev. T. Taafoe.

OCT. 24—*In steam-ship City of Zodiac, from Aspinwall*—Thos. Ward, Miss Morton, Mrs. R. Bowen, Miss J. Mitchell, Mrs. Thos. Venn, Mr. Kiss, Mr. Schoellkopf, J. E. Schoellkopf, Mrs. M. A. Barton, Robert Bodkin, Miss Rosenbohm, Samuel Hayman, Mrs. Ridett, Rev. J. Bourke, Mr. Morrison, Mrs. Morrison, Mr. M. Bourke, J. Cordukes, Wm. Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. Sweetapple, 3 children and nurse, Mr. Kimble, Mr. Gossans, Mr. Jewell, Jas. Wade, Rev. J. Wright, J. Harrison, Mrs. C. A. Merrill, Miss Merrill, Miss Julia Merrill, Chas. Merrill, Master L. L. and Eddy Merrill, Rev. J. Spinks, R. Newtwald, Mr. Dulyewell, L. Lehman, Mr. Brooks, Alex. Graham, John Barrington, Mr. and Mrs. Peck and child, John Skinner, Wm. Jones, Mrs. Jones and 3 children, J. Rodgers, W. A. Graham, Mr. Fisher, Dr. Lefevre, Mrs. Lightly and infant, W. Lightly, Mr. and Mrs. Marsh.

MINIATURE ALMANAC—THIS DAY.

Sun rises....6:22 | Sun sets.....5:03 | Moon sets.....3:21
HIGH WATER.
Sandy Hook 8:16 | Gov. Island....8:44 | Hell Gate.....1:26

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

NEW-YORK...TUESDAY, Oct. 24.

Cleared.

Steam-ship Atlanta, (Br.,) Craig, Glasgow, Henderson Brothers; Westphalia, Schwensen, Hamburg, &c., Kunhardt & Co.; Ellesporte, Phillips, Bremen, Alexandre & Son; Virginia, Bulkley, Savannah, Ga., Murray, Ferris & Co.; Charleston, Barry, Charleston, Henry R. Morgan & Co.; William P. Clyde, Drew, Richmond, &c., Washington & Co.; Niagara, Lockwood, Richmond, &c., Old Dominion Steam-ship Co.; Hatteras, Lawrence, Norfolk, &c., Old Dominion Steam-ship Co.; Fanita, Deane, Philadelphia, Lorillard Steam-ship Co.; Regulator, Freeman, Philadelphia, Lorillard Steam-ship Co.; Max, Grumley, Philadelphia; Monitor, Jones, Philadelphia.

Ships Americus Congress, Ghiselin, London, Grinnell, Minturn & Co.; Calcutta, (Br.,) Hamilton, Liverpool, E. E. Morgan & Bro.

Barks Lord Clarendon, (Br.,) Lavender, Montevideo, &c., J. Norton, Jr., & Sons; Hemwich Bjorn, (Norw.,) Knutsen, Falmouth, Wendt, Tetens & Hockmann; Adelia Cathcart, (Br.,) Mohan, Cork, Mallory, Ward & Clarence; Rosetta McNeill, New-Orleans, R. H. Drummond & Co.; Henry Palmer, (Br.,) Brennan, Doboy Island, R. Murray, Jr.; Colonist, (Br.,) Ambrose, Cork for orders, Wm. Ingalls.

Brigs Dixon, Harrington, Gibraltar for orders, Jas. Henry & Co.; John Walters, (Br.,) Spiers, Fernandinco, George F. Bulley; Petrel, (Br.,) Nickerson, St. John, N. F., G. A. Philips & Collins; Memphis, (Br.,) Macomber, Clifton, Trawl, Bertram & Co.; Lima, Hill, Wilmington, N. C., Harry & Aubrey, (Br.,) Briggs, Barbados, T. T. & P. A. Dwight.

Scha. Charles Morrison, Handield, Para.

Arrived.

Steam-ship City of London, (Br.,) Tibbits, Liverpool Oct. 12, with mdse. and 204 passengers to Leonard Jacobs to John G. Dale. Oct. 14, lat. 48 19, lon. 29 57, passed steam-ship City of New-York, hence for Liverpool; same day, lat. 48 17, lon. 30 03, passed a Guion steamer bound E.; 15th, lat. 47 25, lon. 37 00, passed steam-ship Atlantic, hence for Liverpool; 23d, 400 miles E. from Sandy Hook, passed a National steamer bound E.

Steam-ship Vandalia, (N. G.,) Franzen, Hamburg Oct. 5, with mdse. and 524 passengers to Kunhardt & Co. Oct. 20, lat. 44 46, lon. 35 16, passed steam-ship Hammonia, hence for Hamburg; 23d, lat. 46 49, lon. 27 30, passed barks Rachel, (Br.,) and Industrie, (N. G.,) both bound W.

Steam-ship Tiber, (Br.,) Buchanan, Sidney, C. E. Adams, with coal to International Coal and Railway Co.—consigned C. E. Swain & Son.

Steam-ship Oceanic, (Br.,) Thompson, Liverpool Oct. 12, and Queenstown 13th, with mdse. and passengers to J. H. Sparks.

Steam-ship Wyanoke, Bourne, Richmond, City Point and Norfolk, with mdse. and passengers to Old Dominion Steam-ship Co.

Steam-ship San Salvador, Nickerson, from Savannah Oct. 21, with mdse. and passengers to W. R. Garrison.

Steam-ship Saratoga, Conch, from Richmond, City Point and Norfolk to Old Dominion Steam-ship Co.

Steam-ship Montevideo, Faxholm, Savannah Oct. 21, with mdse. and passengers to E. Lowden.

Ship Mosert, (N. G.,) Heidrich, Hamburg 48 da., with mdse. and 61 passengers to Funch, Edye & Co.

Bark Templar, Bartlett, Middlebro', Eng., via Falmouth 55 da., with railroad iron to order—vessel to Lunt Bros. & Co. Sept. 18, lat. 43 04, lon. 34 23, had a hurricane from N. W. to S., lasting 36 hours, during which carried away main and mizzen mast and split sails, and sprung aleak; had to throw overboard about 45 tons of railroad iron in order to save the vessel.

Bark Arica, (Br.,) of Dundee, Lowden, from Charcute 38 da., with mdse. to Canardo & Crooks—vessel to master.

Bark Lucy Francis, Upton, Havana 12 da., with sugar to E. D. Morgan—vessel to Thompson & Hunter.

Bark Luigi, (Aust.,) Prosgen, Trieste 55 da., with mdse. to W. Scott Murray—vessel to Funch, Edye & Co. Passed Gibraltar Sept. 6.

Bark Everland, (N. G.,) Horstmann, Bremen 42 da., with mdse. to Chas. Gallaher.

Bark John Phillips, (Br.,) Murray, Guantanamo 20 da., with sugar to master. Has had fine weather the entire passage.

Brig Paquete de Nova York, (Port.,) De Cunha, Falmouth, Eng., 48 da., with china clay to Davies, Walls & Co.—vessel to Hagemeyer & Brunn.

Brig Annie Gardner, (of Castine,) Gardner, Demerara 18 da., with sugar to J. M. Smith & Co.—vessel to Miller & Houghton.

Brig Alexander Nickels, Peterson, Port-au-Prince Sept. 30 and St. Marc 10 da., with coffee to H. Becker—vessel to Thompson & Hunter.

Brig Wych Mate, (of Halifax,) Dossett, Demerara 22 da., with sugar to order—vessel to F. W. Whitney & Co.

Brig Arnold, Langer, from Tecojate April 3, San Jose, Guatemala, April 24, Acajutla May 30, Rio Janeiro Aug. 10, with coffee to order—vessel to master.

Brig Martha Cassidy, New-Haven 10 hours, in ballast to T. H. Harrison.

Schr. W. H. Pharo, Edwards, Newbern, N. C., 4 da., with naval stores to Murray, Ferris & Co. Oct. 19, while at anchor in Hatteras Inlet, collided with schr. Lizzie Evans; lost main boom, stove small boat and sprung the L. E. had her bow stove in, lost jib-boom, sprung bowsprit and carried away all the bulwarks and top timbers forward as far aft as the fore-rigging.

Schr. Ringgold, Griffin, Georgetown, S. C., 6 da., with naval stores to Dodner, Potter & Co.—vessel to E. D. Hurlbut & Co.

Schr. Ellen G. King, Marshall, Port Johnson, for Boston.

Schr. S. W. Wright, Murray, Port Johnson, for Portland.

Schr. Fanny Miller, Lawson, Port Johnson, for